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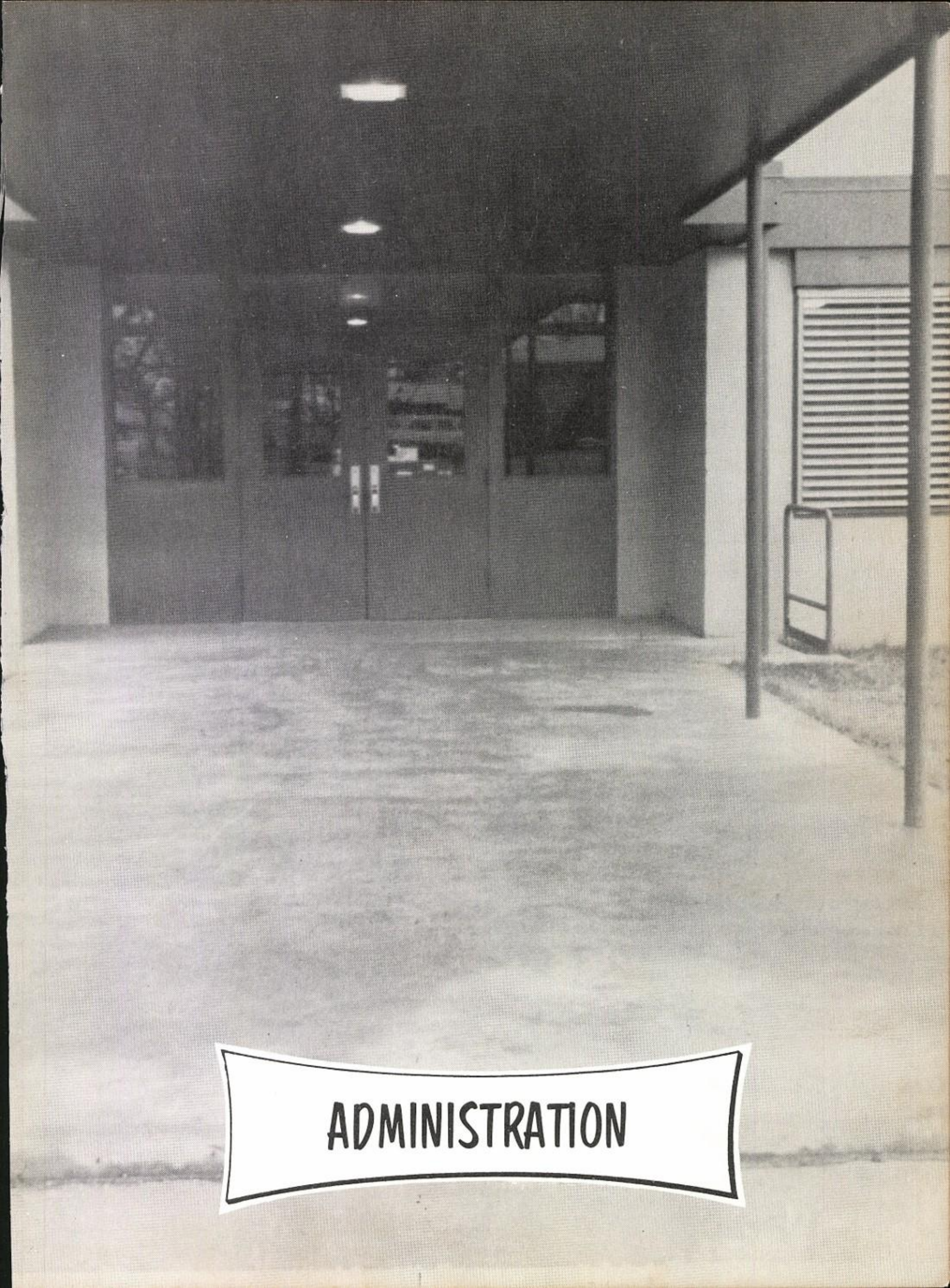

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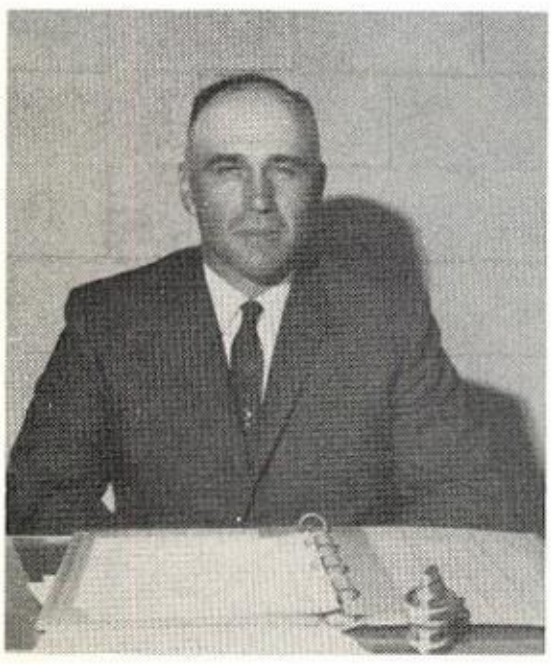

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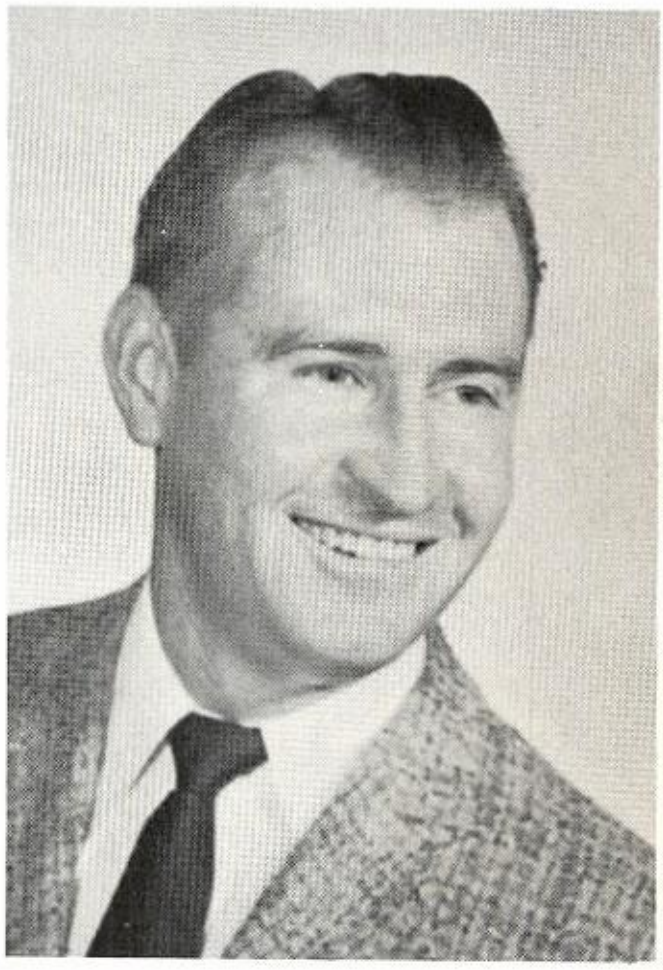

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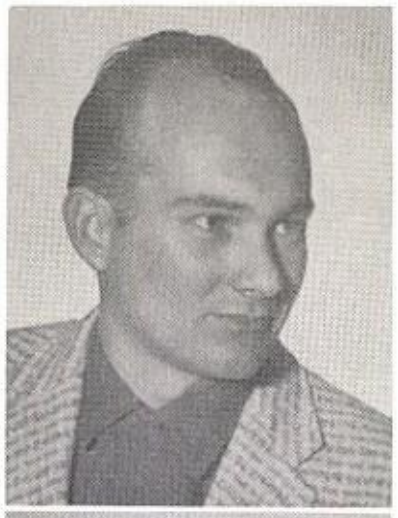

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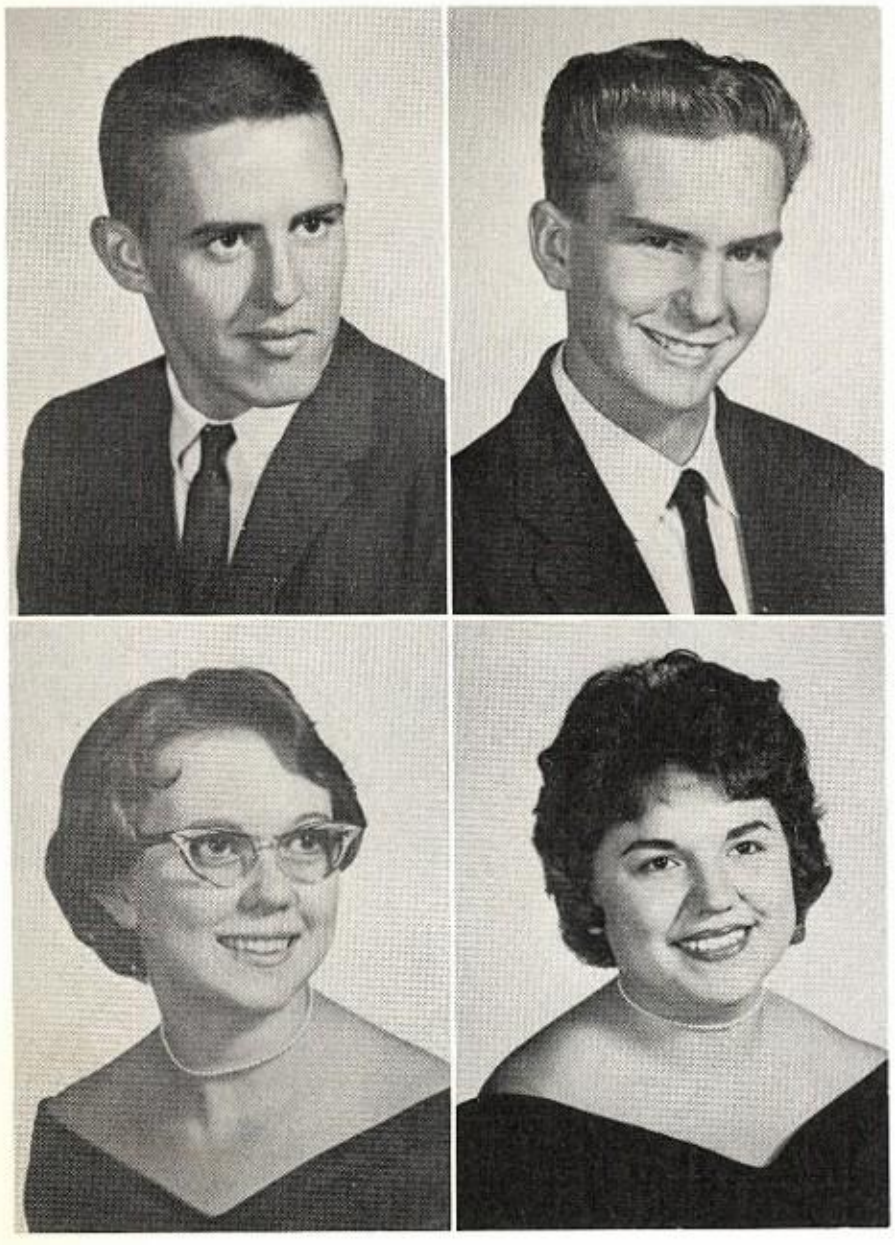

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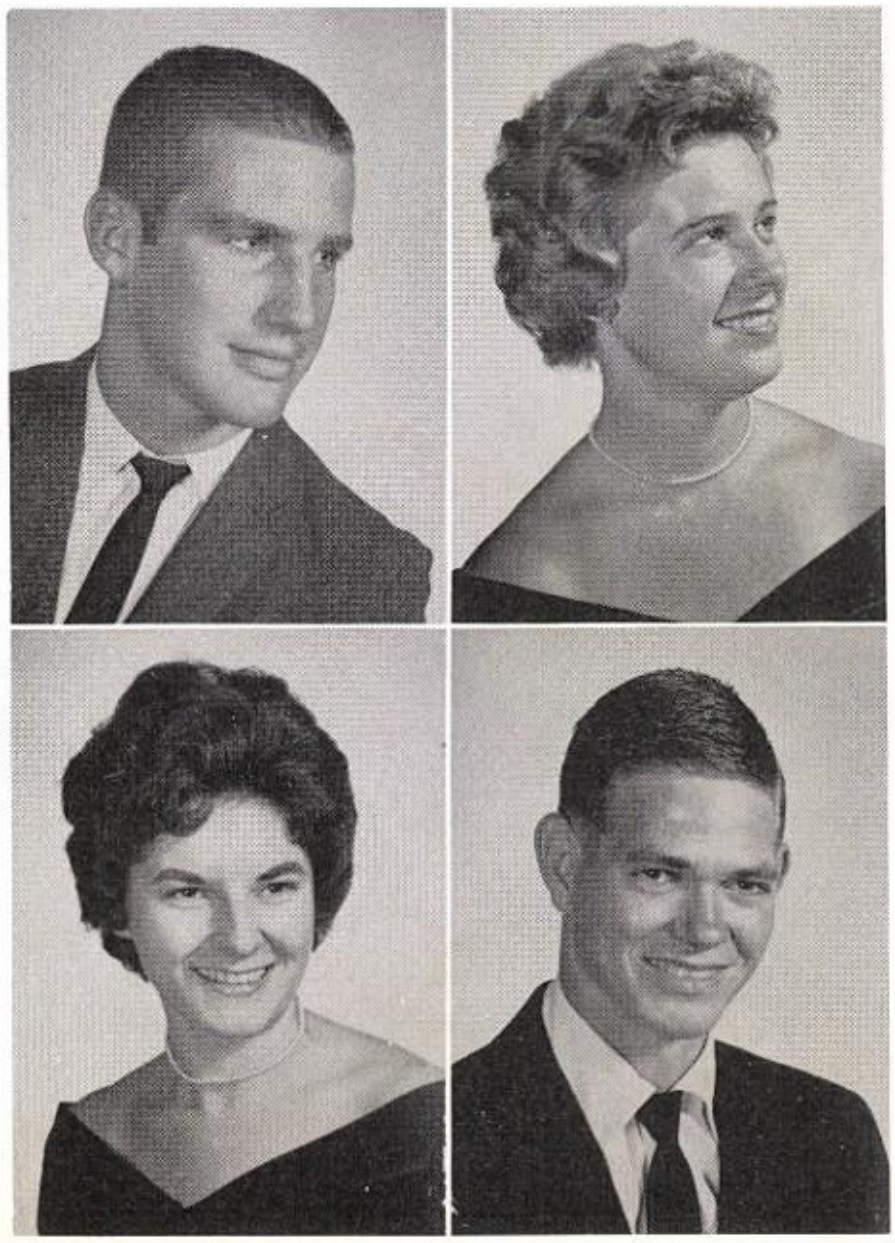

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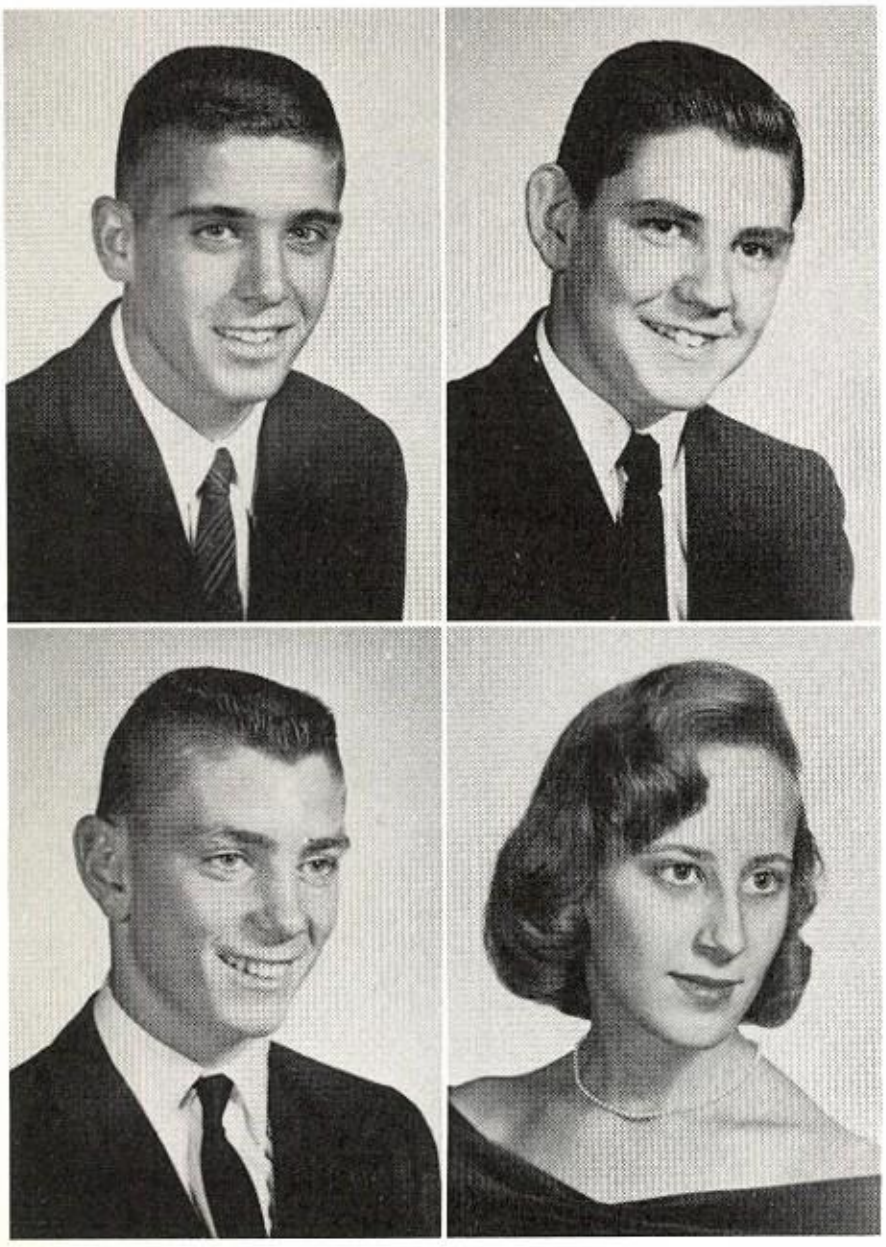

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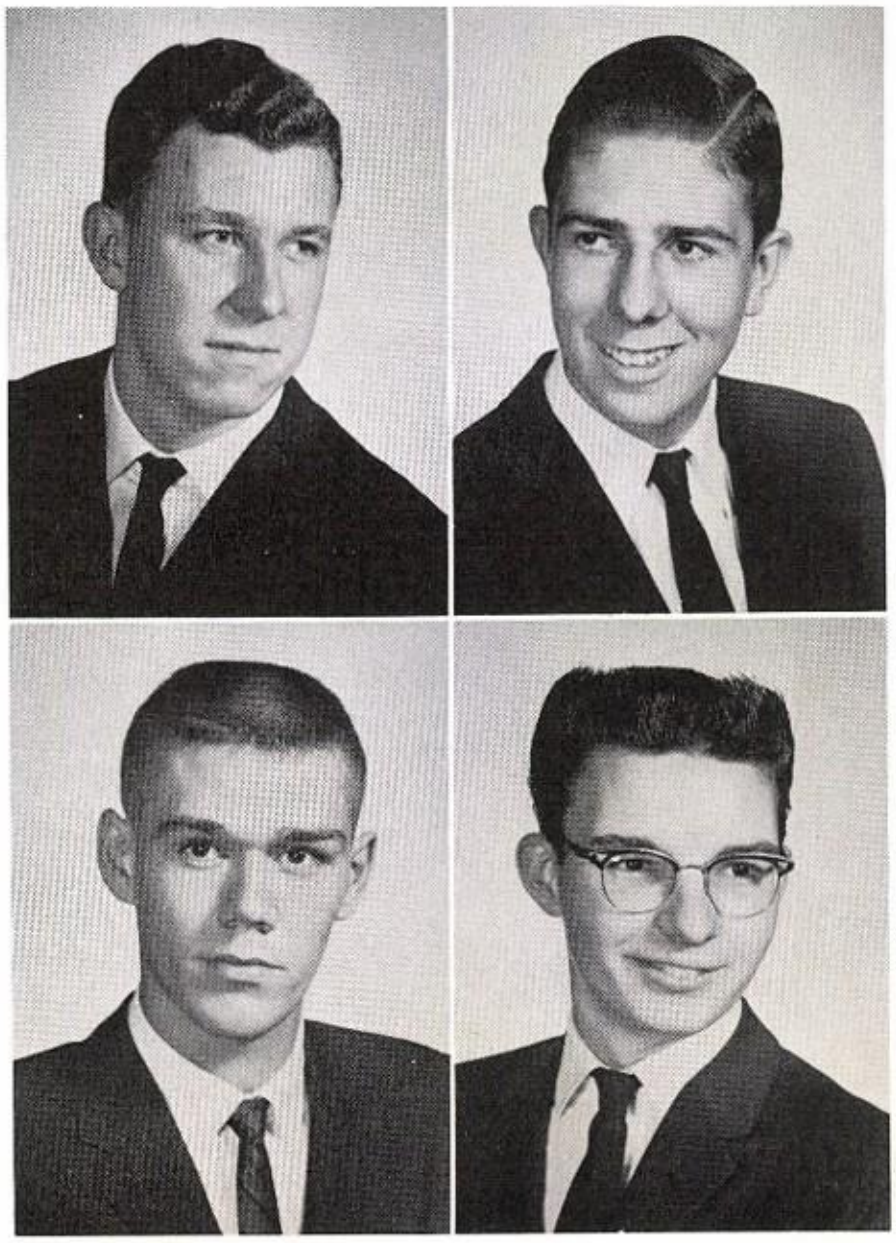

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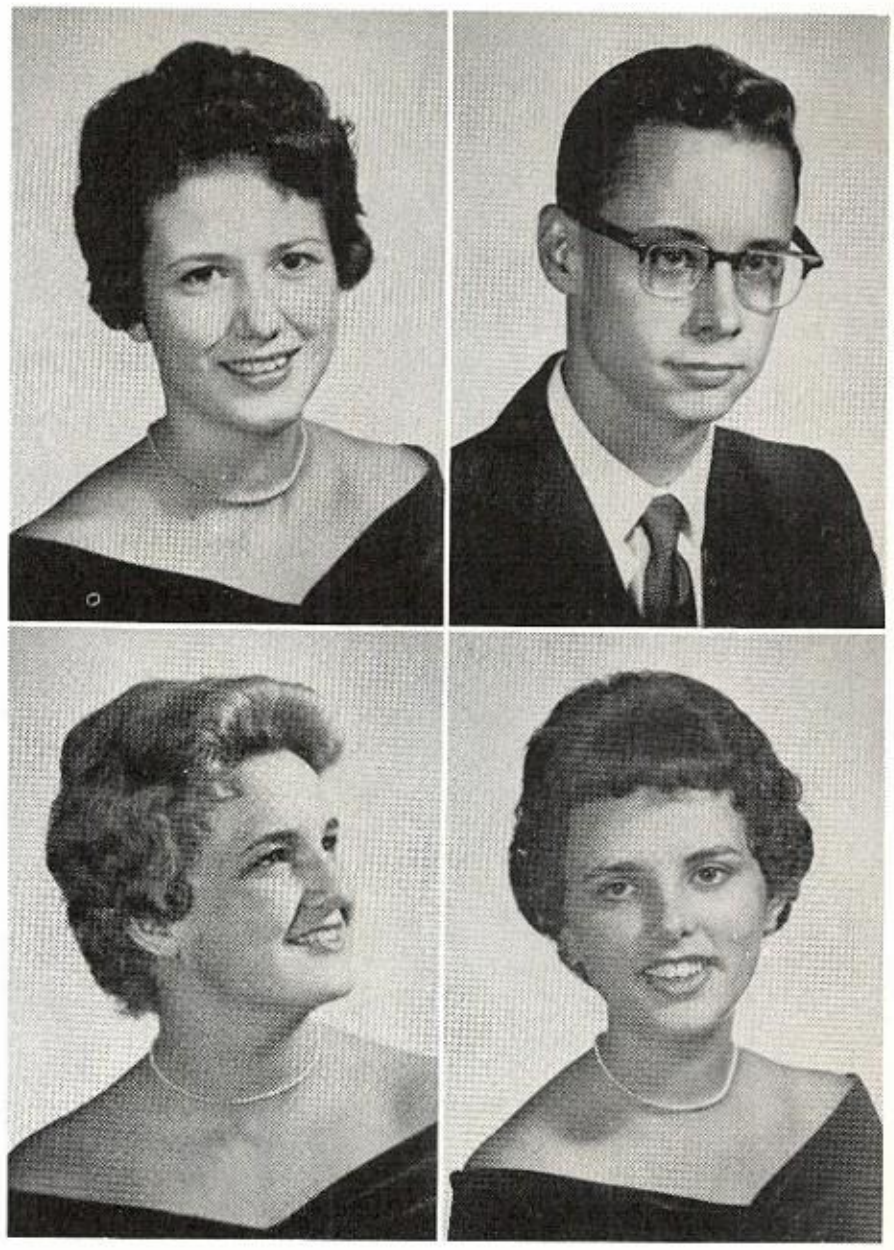

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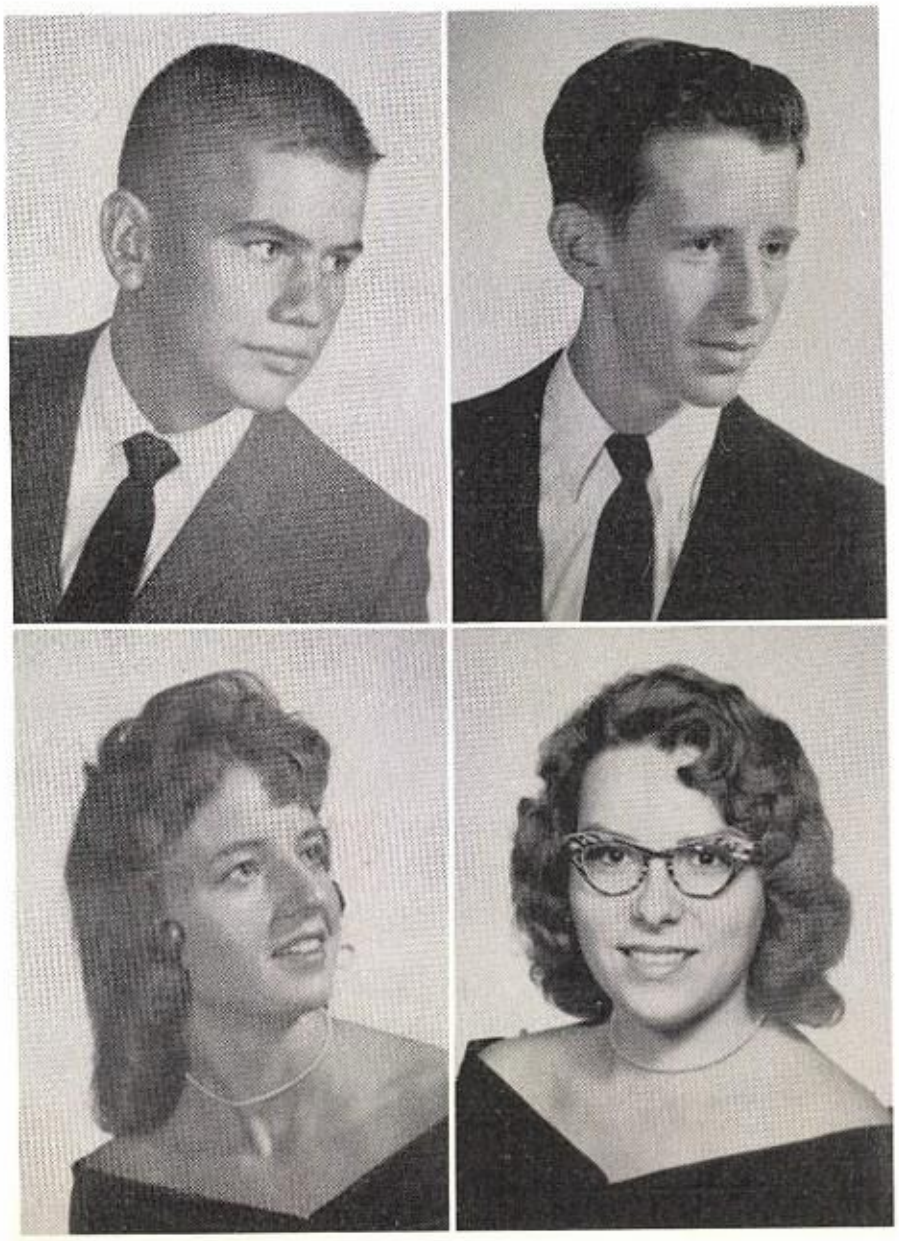

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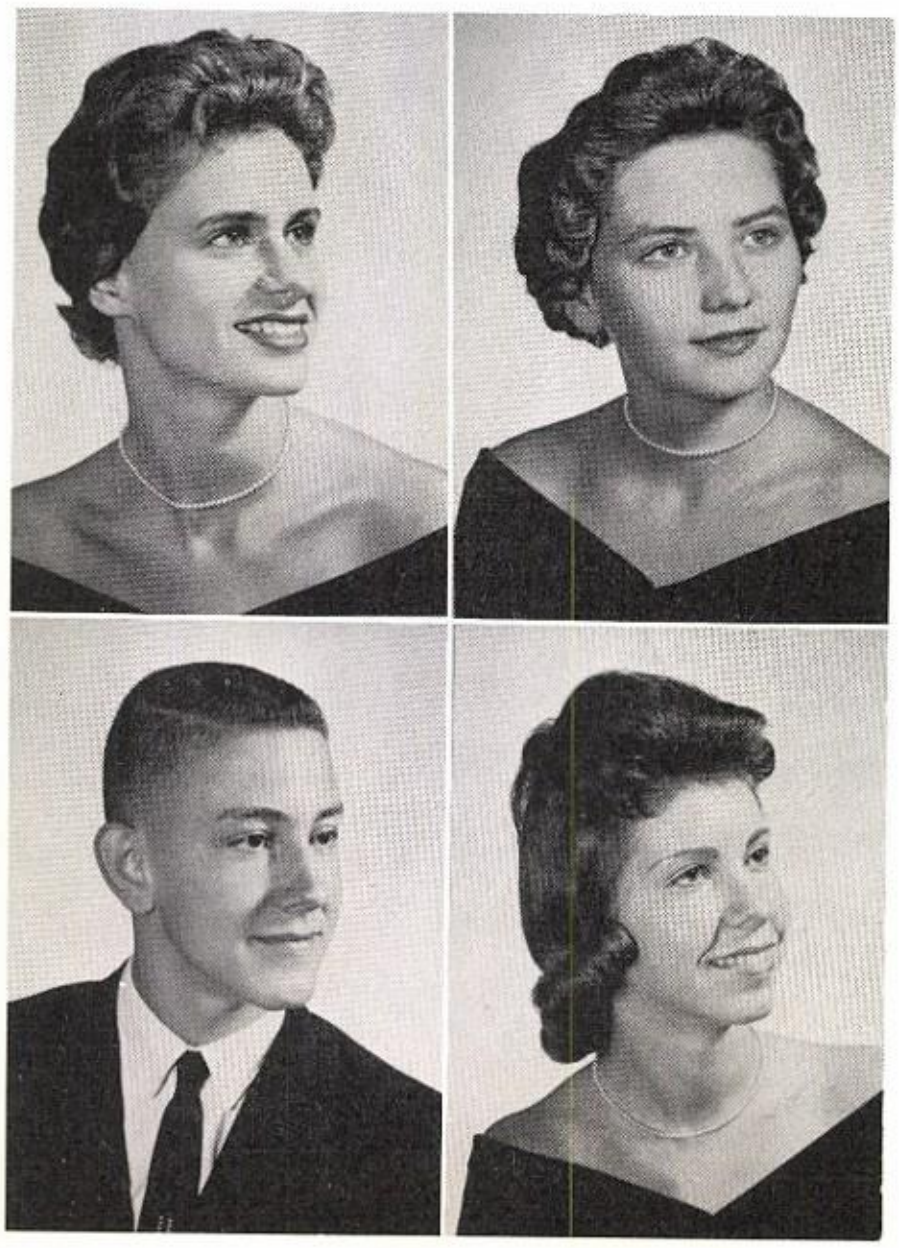

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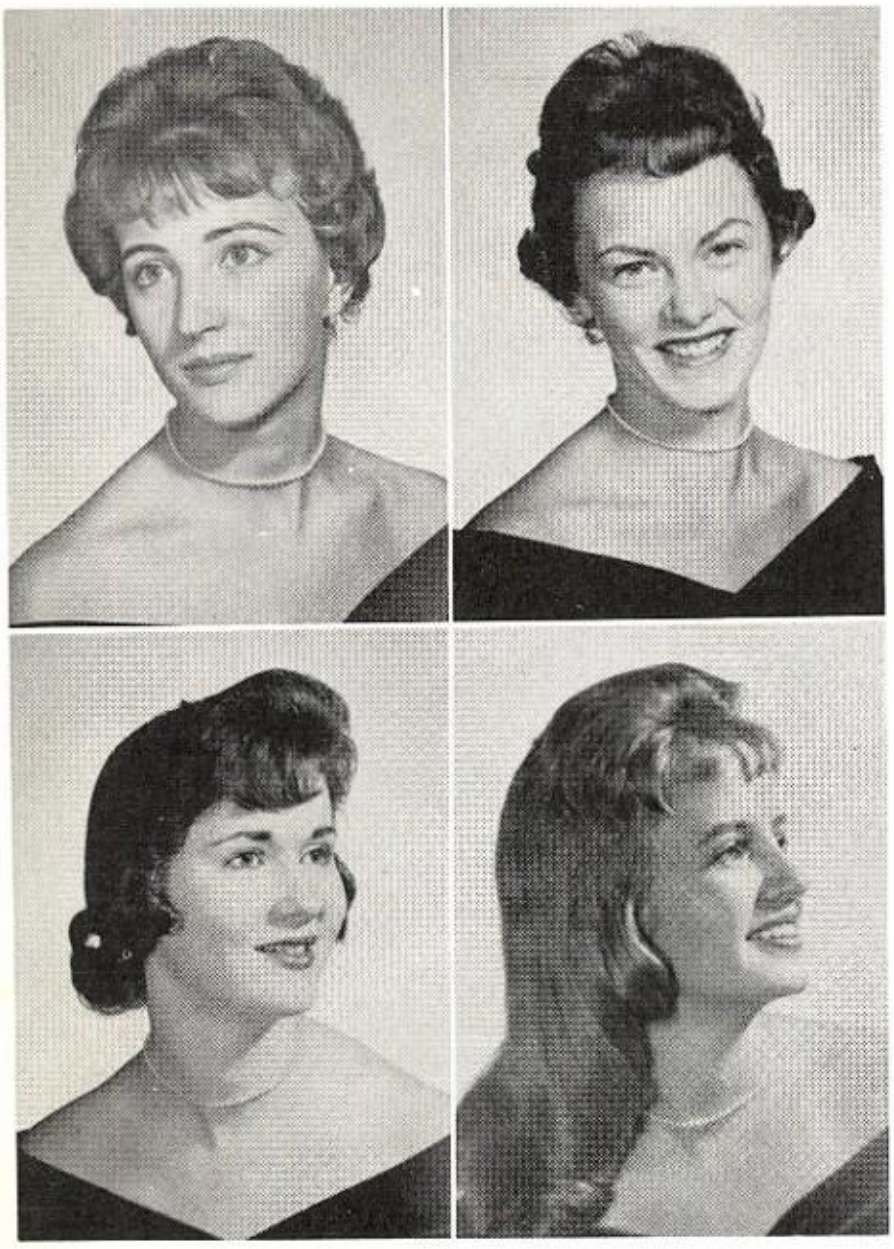

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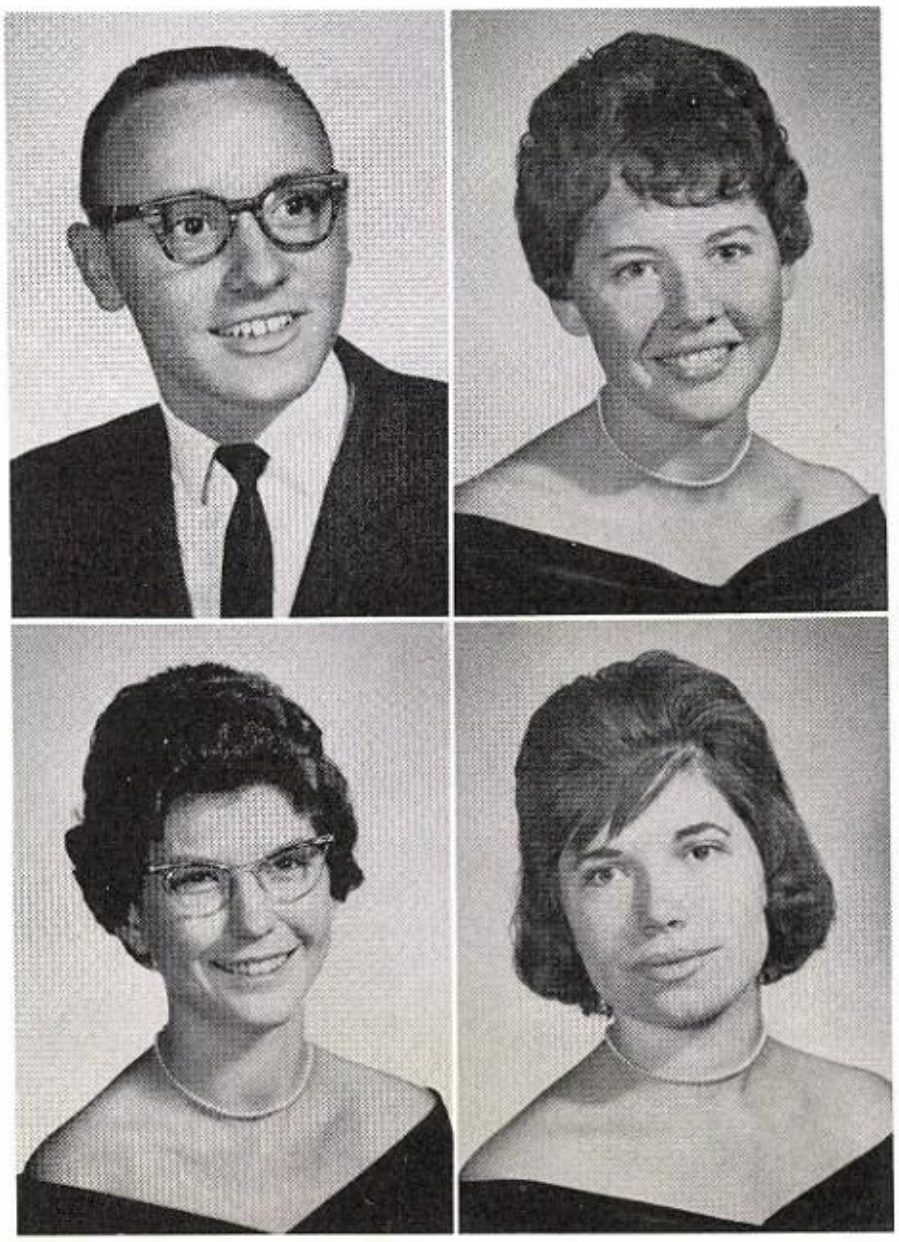

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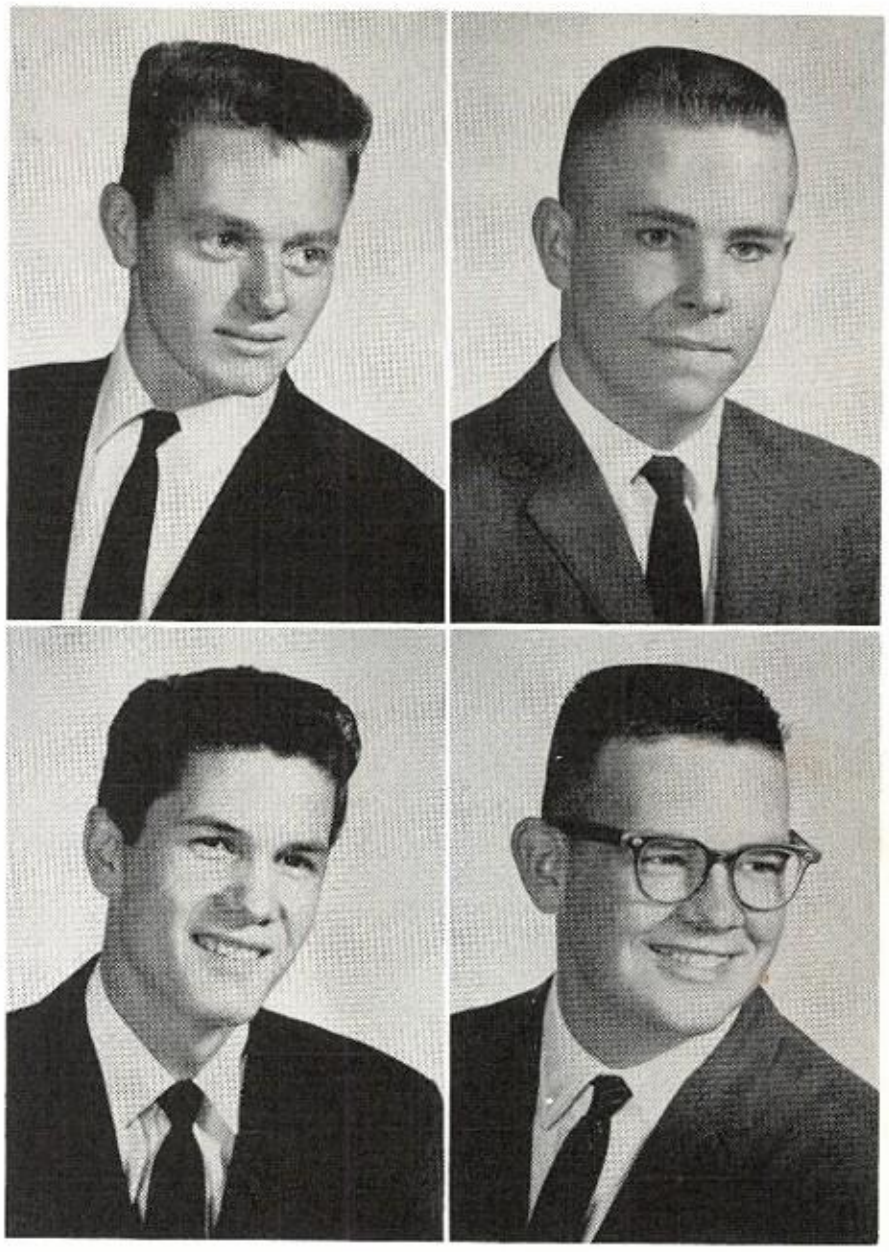

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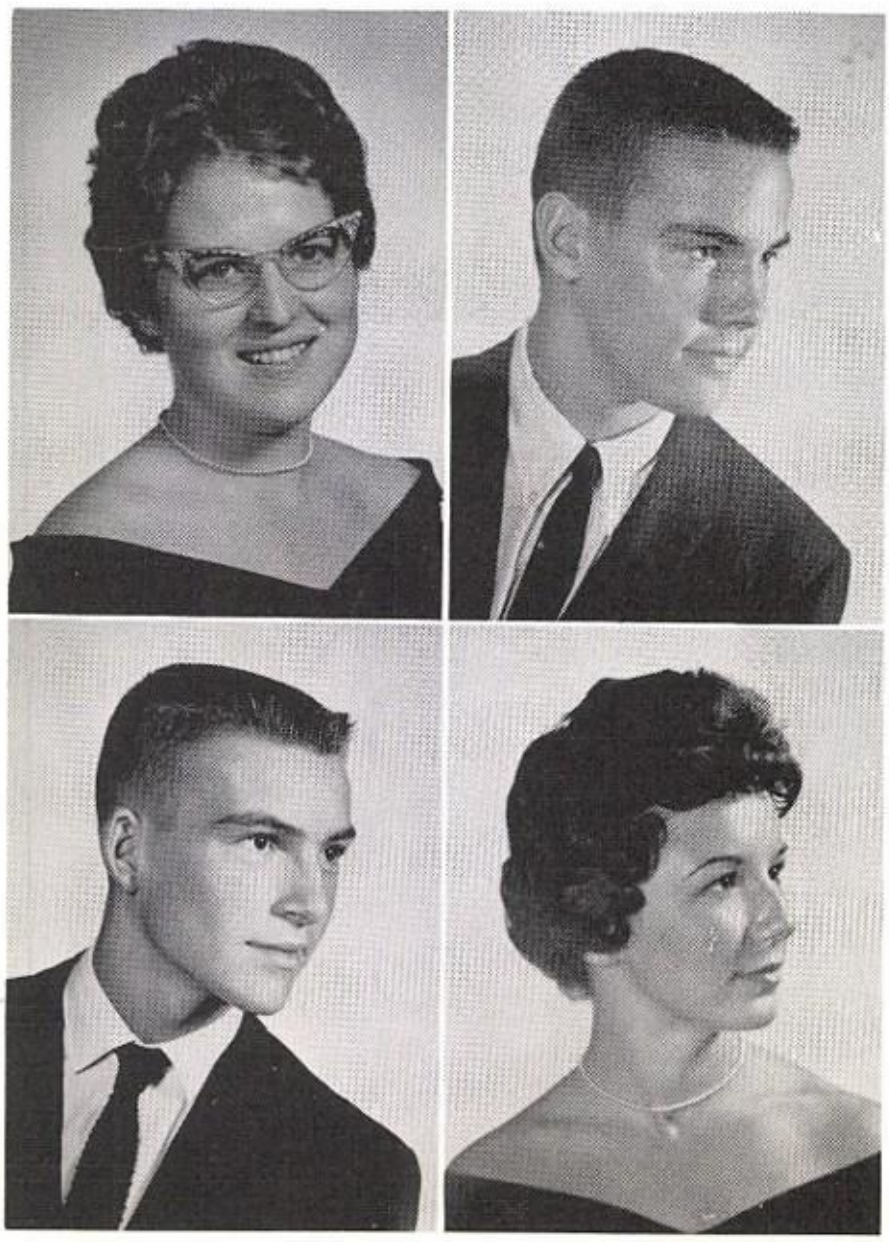

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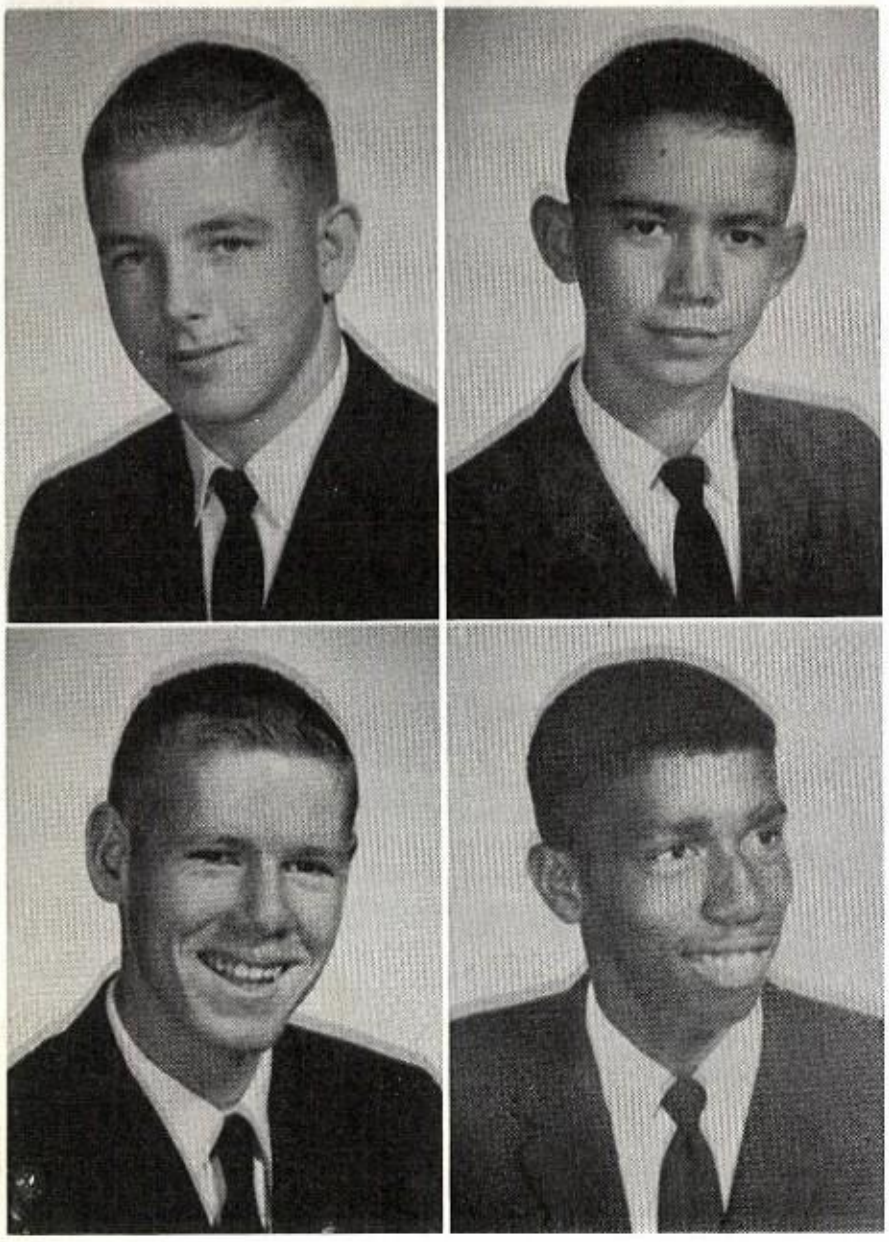

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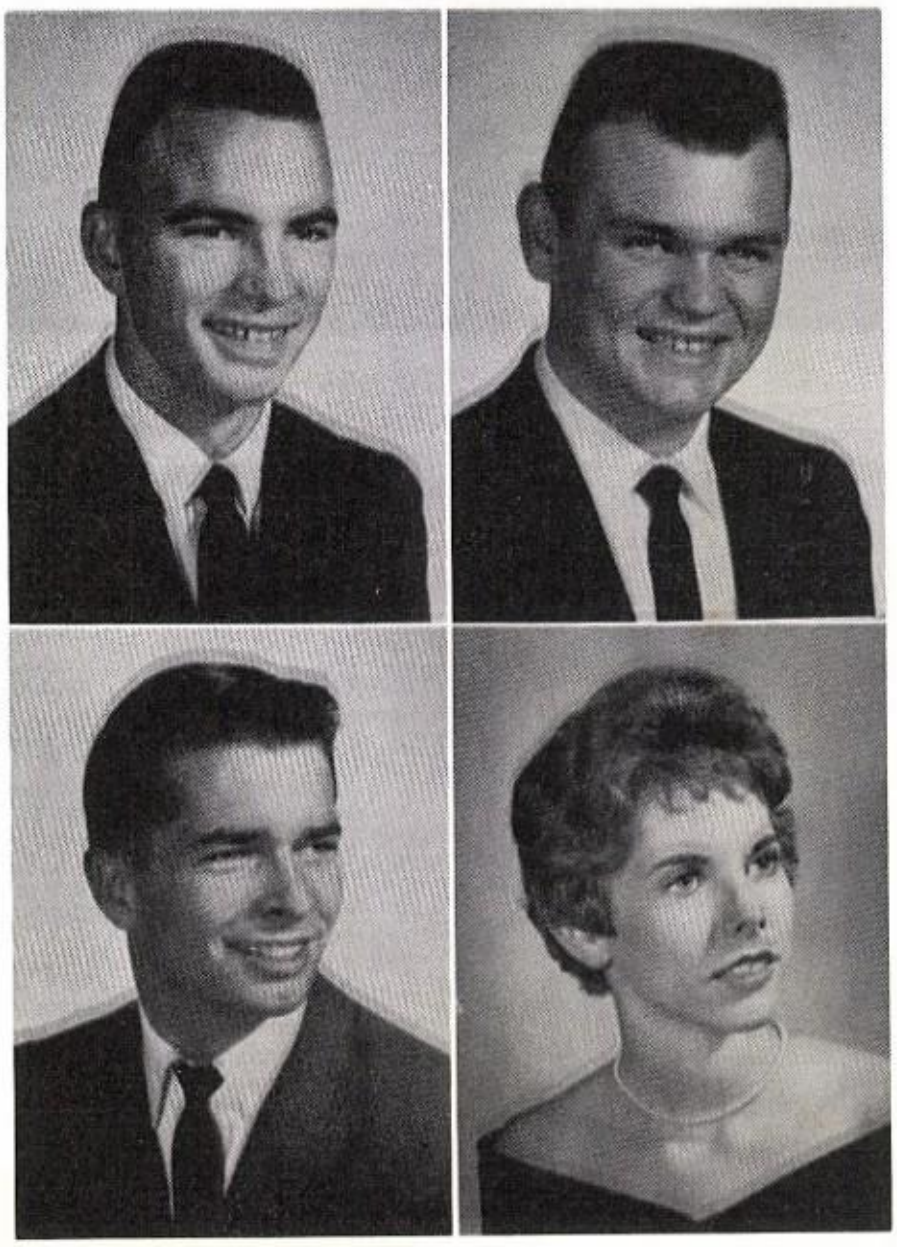

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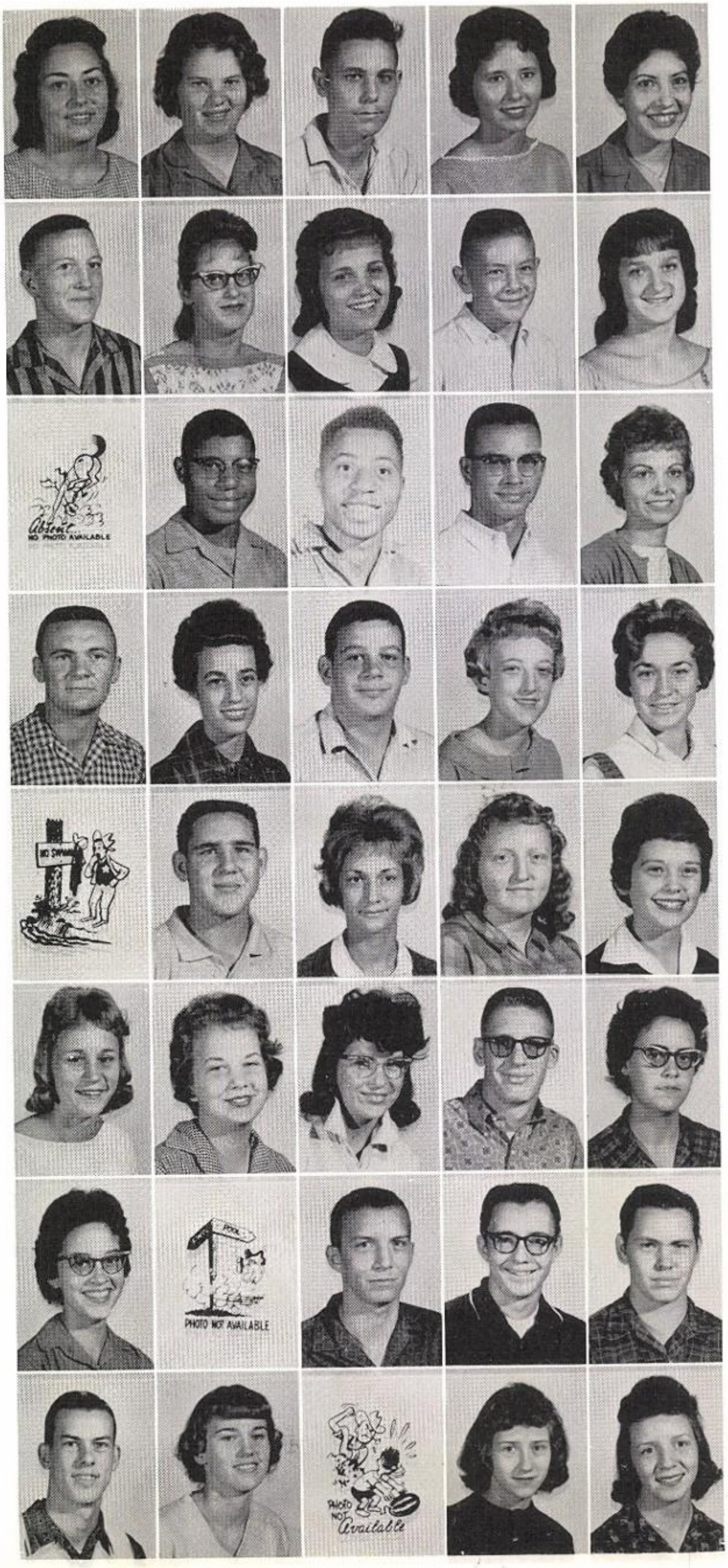

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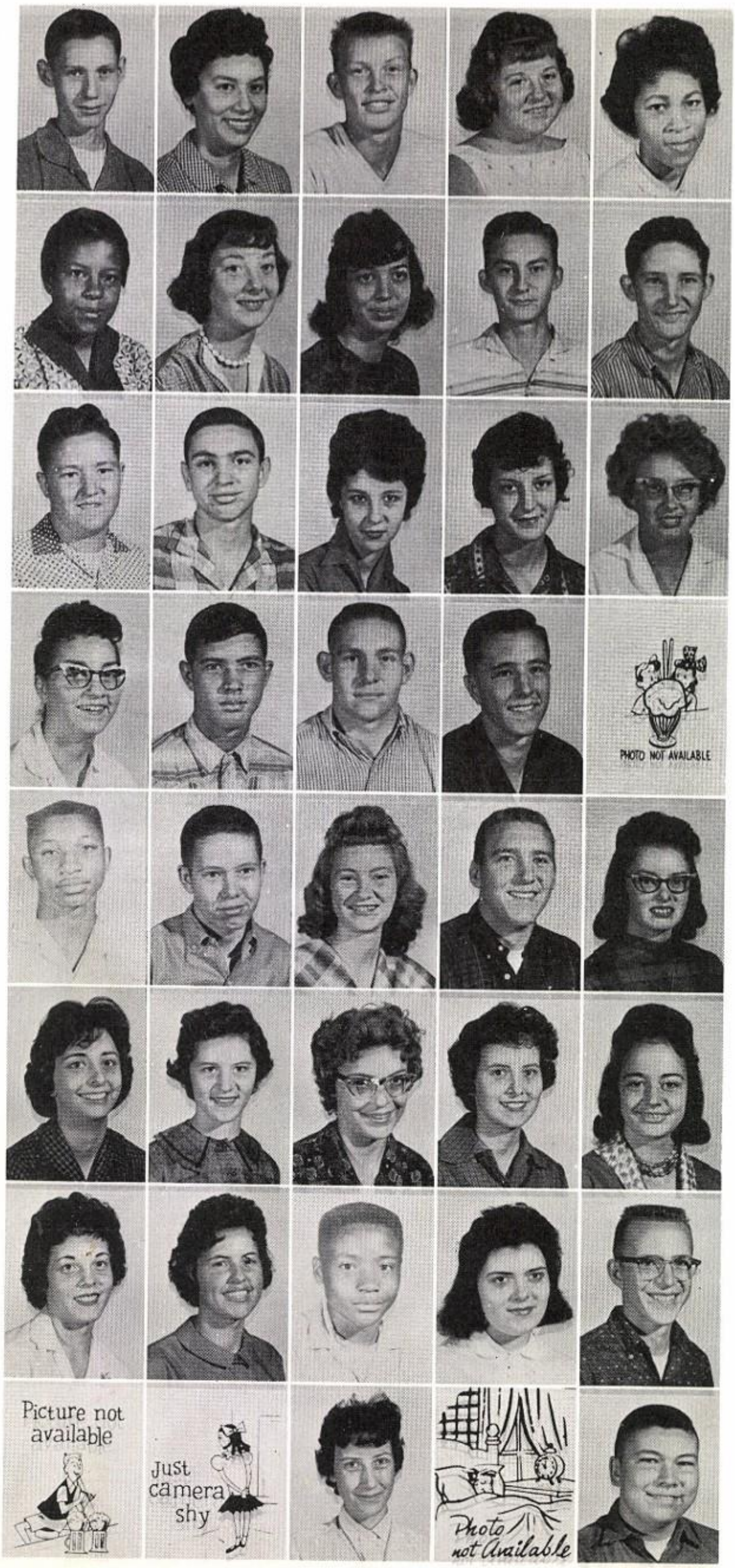

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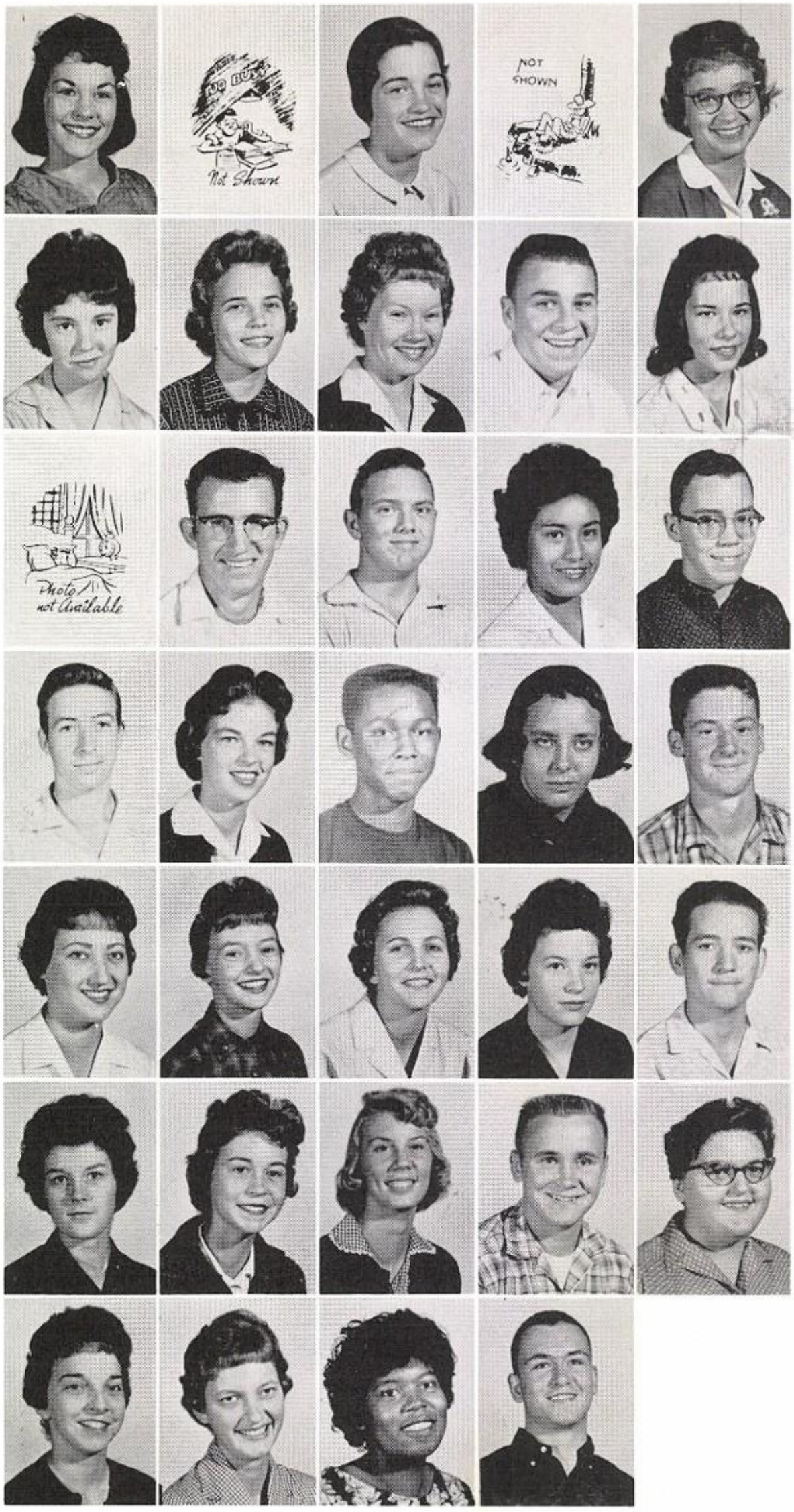

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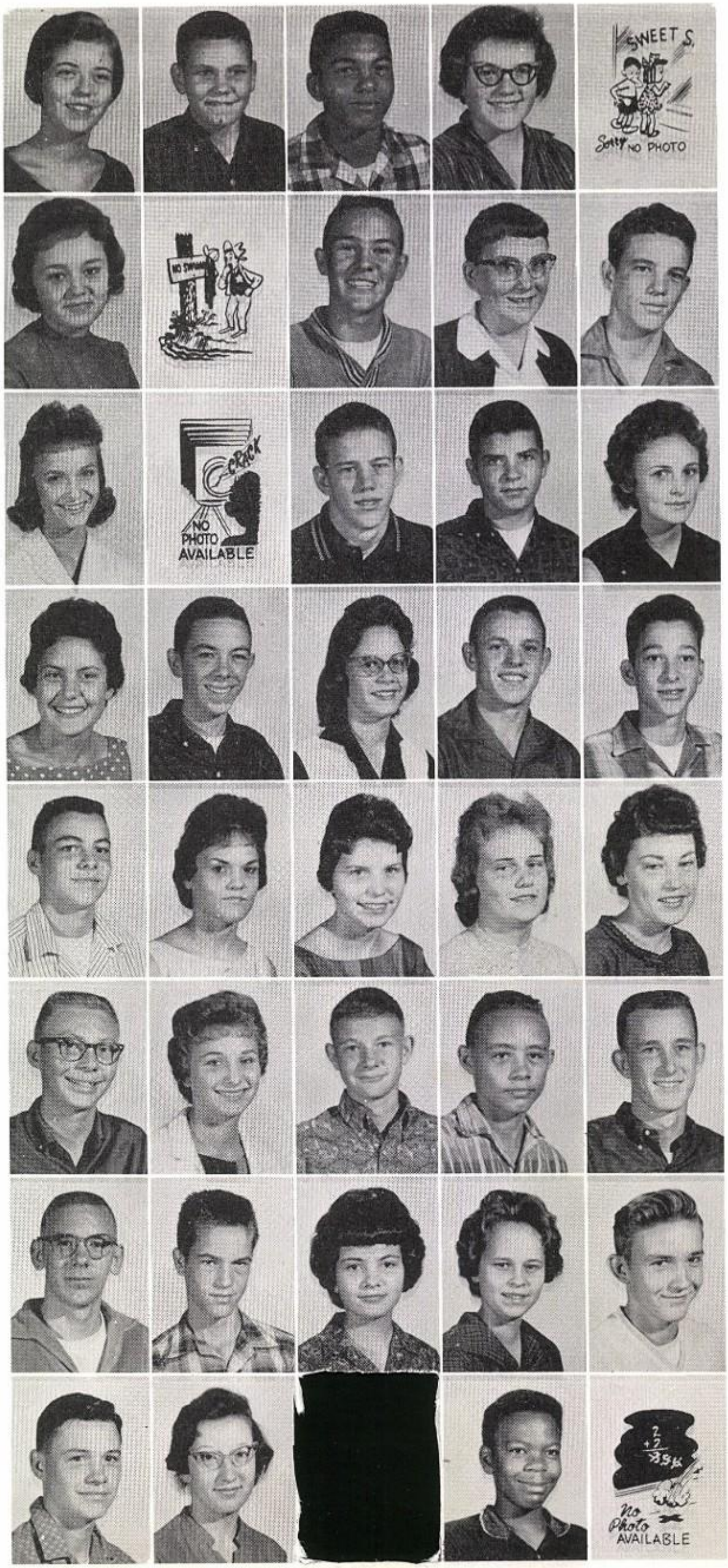

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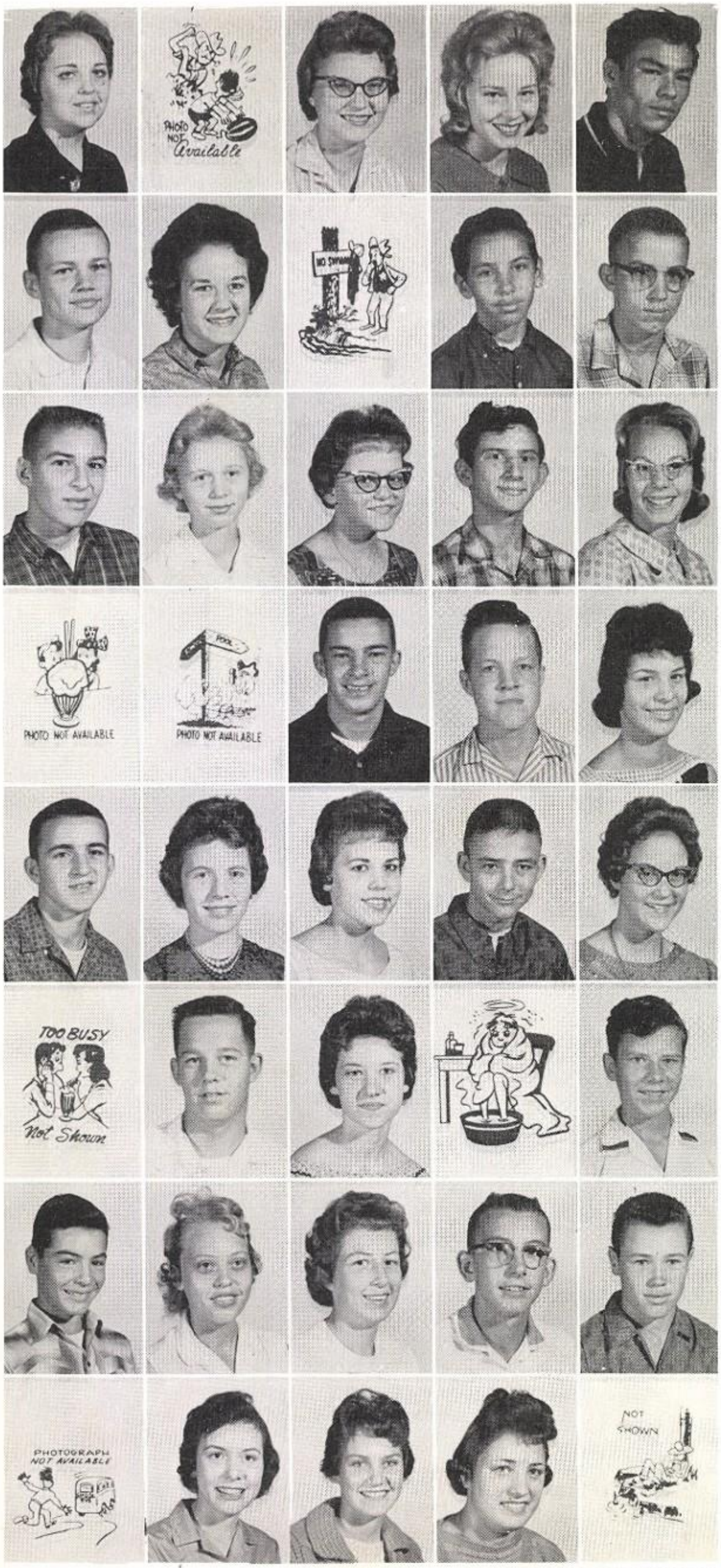

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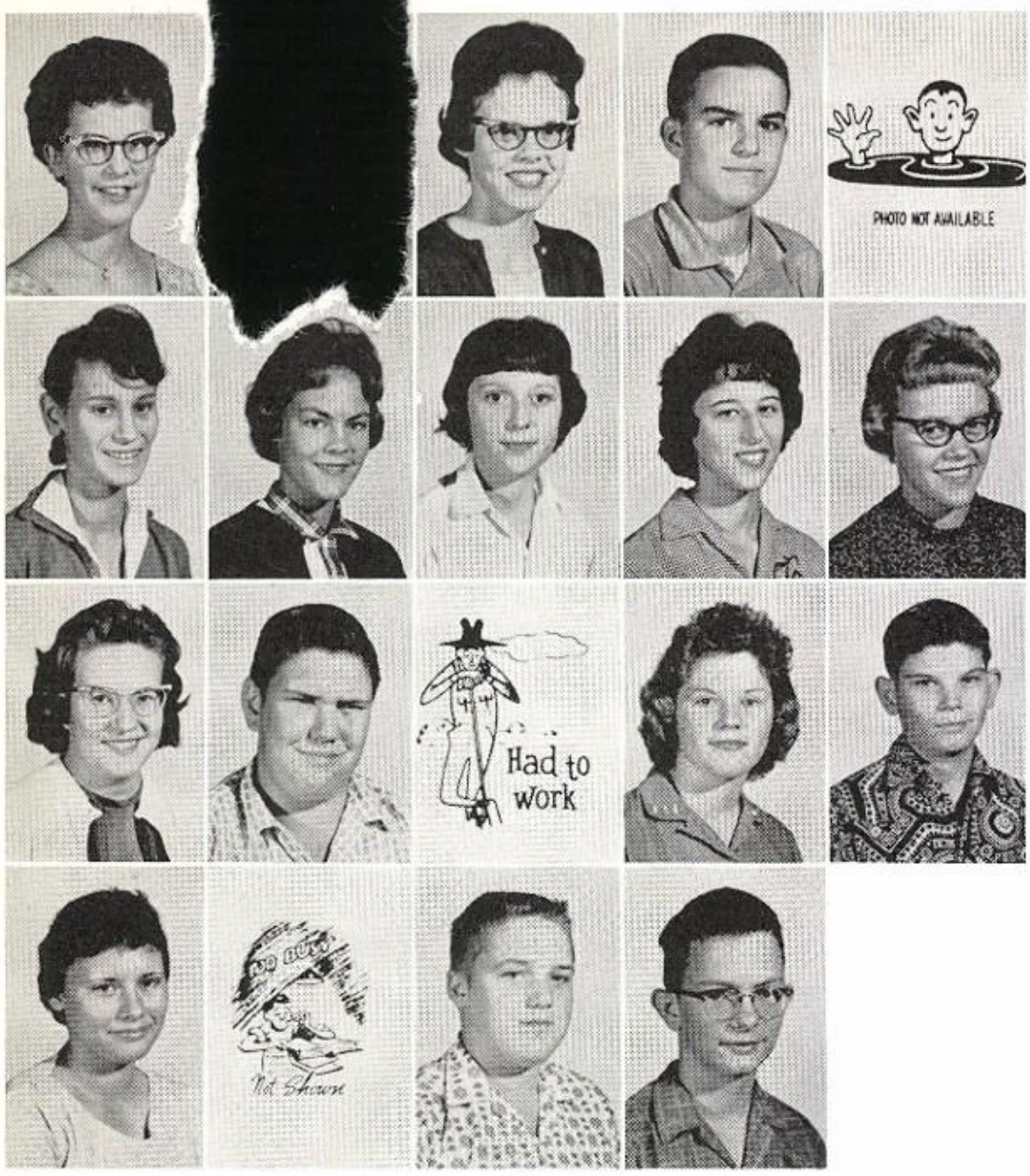

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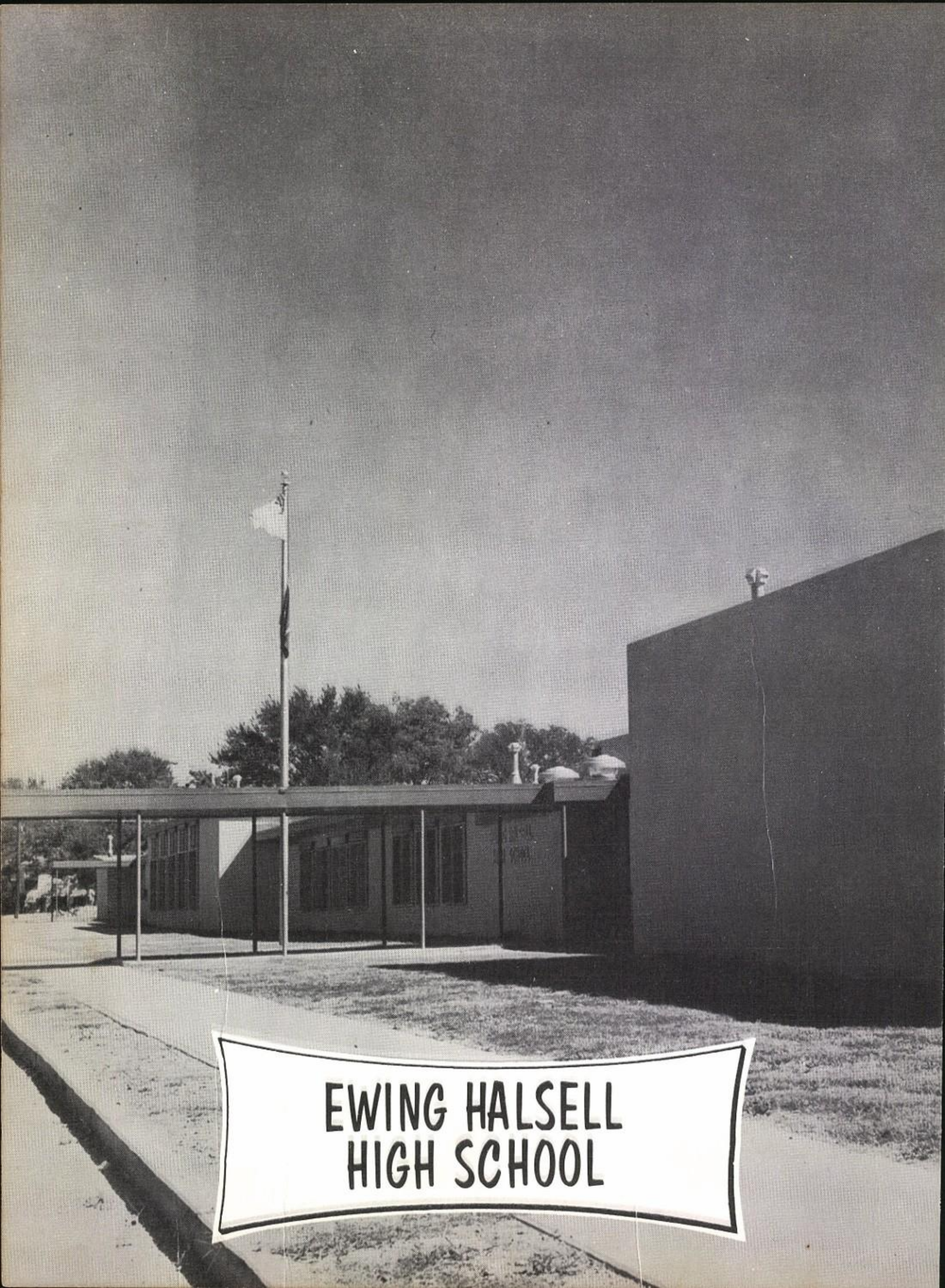

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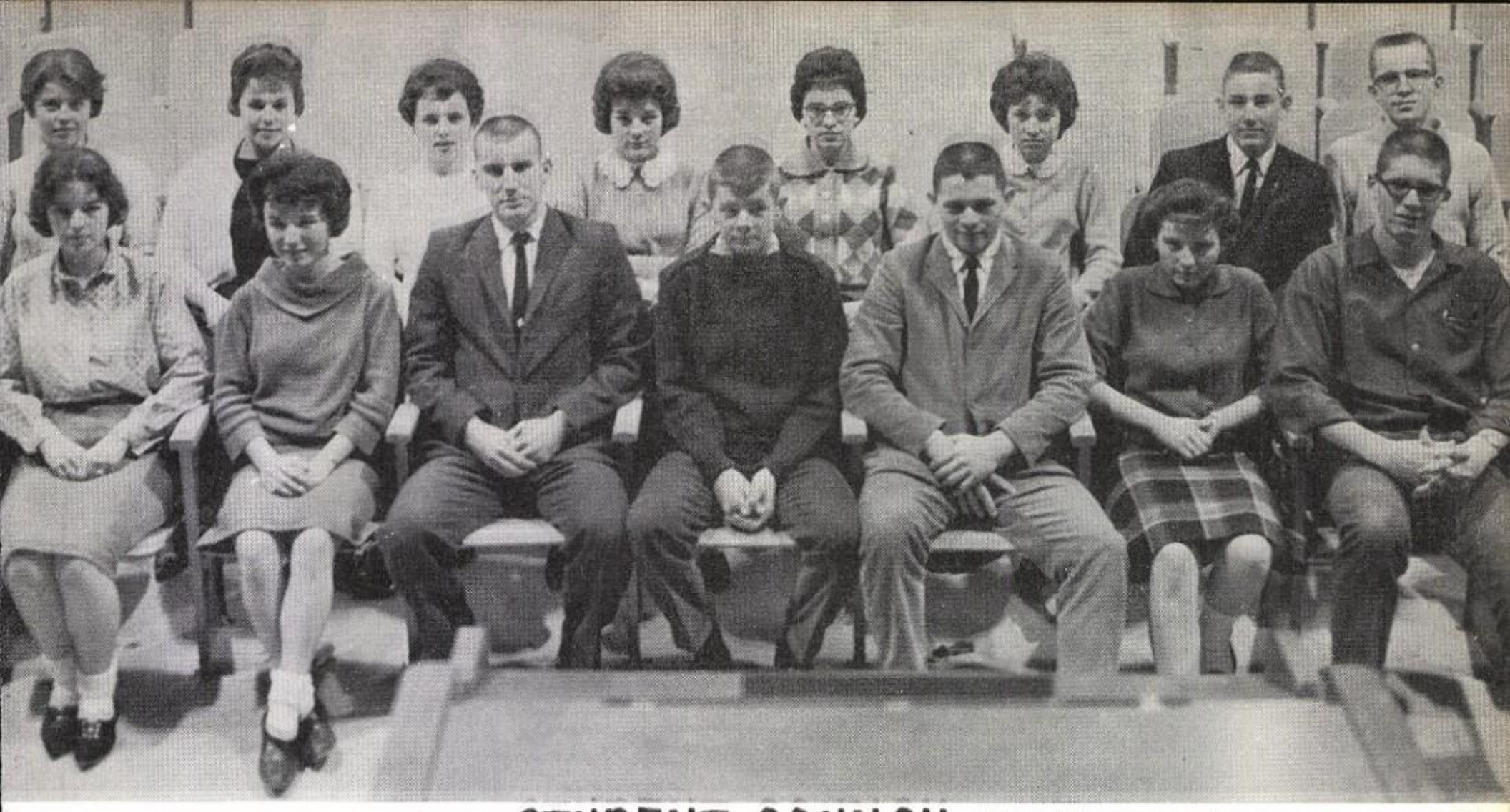

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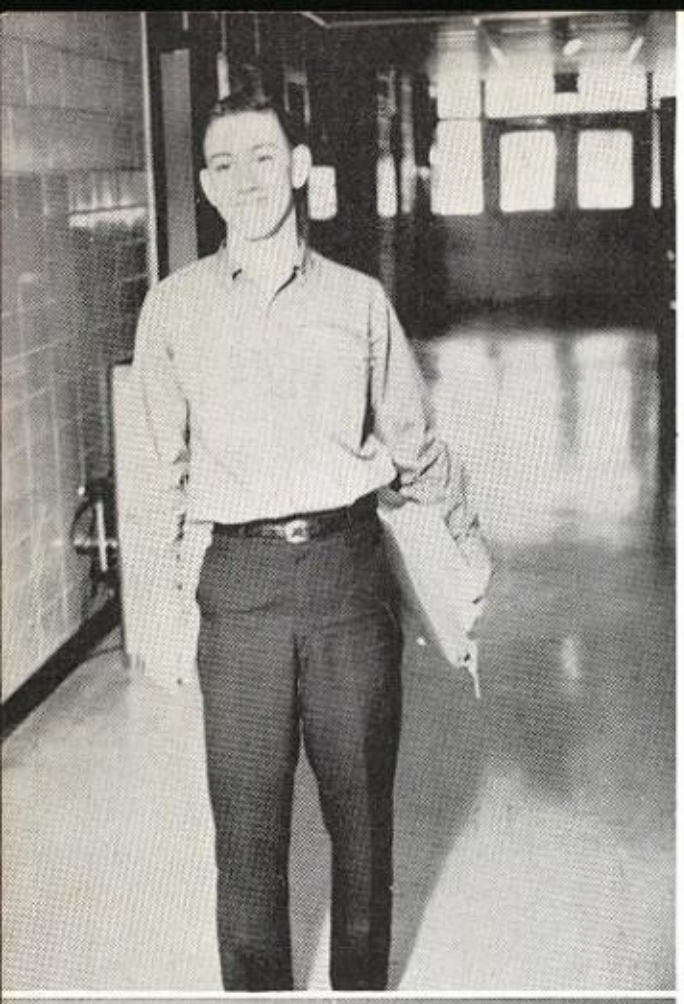
B. Carter, J. Hill, S. Leforce, J. Hugh, M. Lounsbury, L. Kyle, L. Applegate, D. Brown, W. Rodman, S. Thomas, J. McMillian, C. Wilson, R. Boatright, V. Minson, T. Lehman, K. Curnutte.



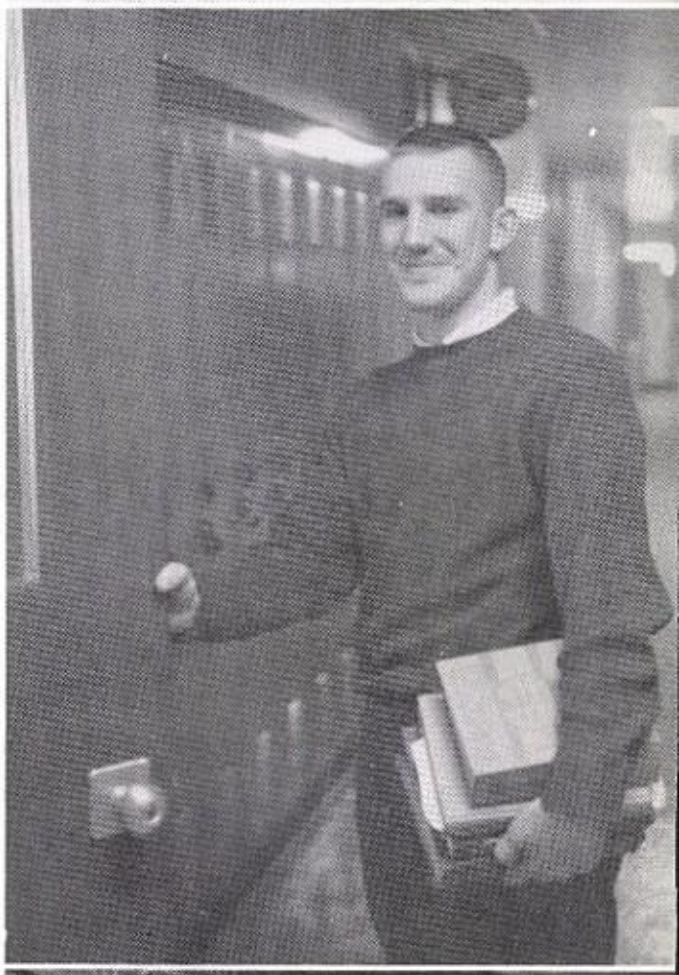
WHO'S

TOM LEHMAN
President
Honor Society
President
Science Club
Senior Rotarian
Student Council

WILLA RODMAN
Girls State
National Honor Society
Student Council Officer
Football Queen

BETTY CARTER
National Honor Society
Girls State
F. H. A. President
Junior Play

HARRY BARNES
Student Council
President
Boys State
Senior Rotarian
Athletics



TOM ALLEN
Athletics
Senior Rotarian
Annual Staff
Class Officer

MARIAN LOUNSBURY
Band
National Honor Society
Secretary
Debate Team
F. H. A.

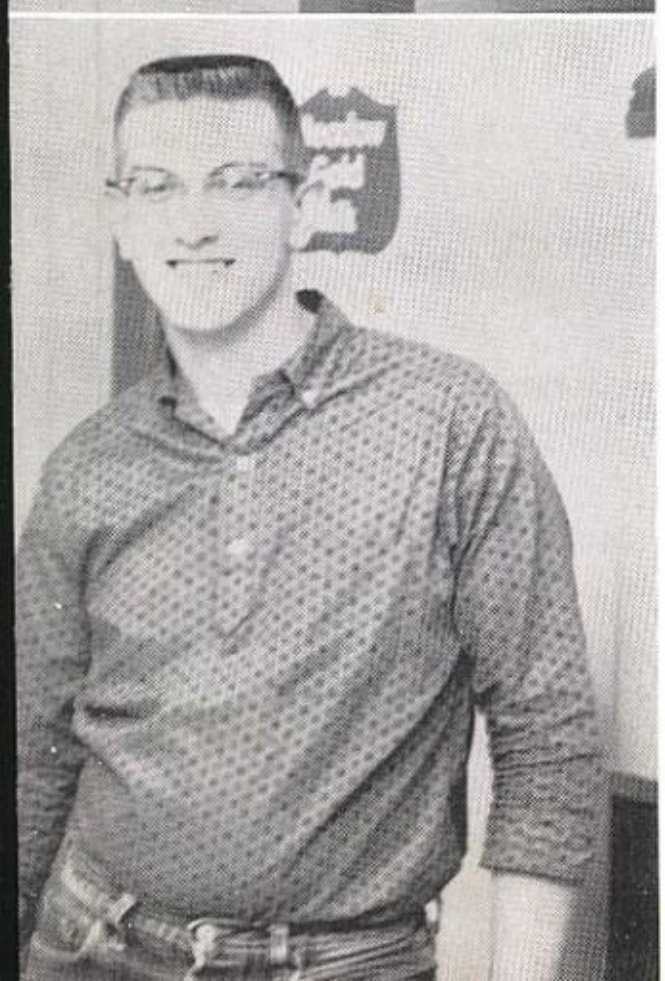
WHO

JUDY HOUGH
Girls State
National Honor Society
Student Council Officer
Cheerleader

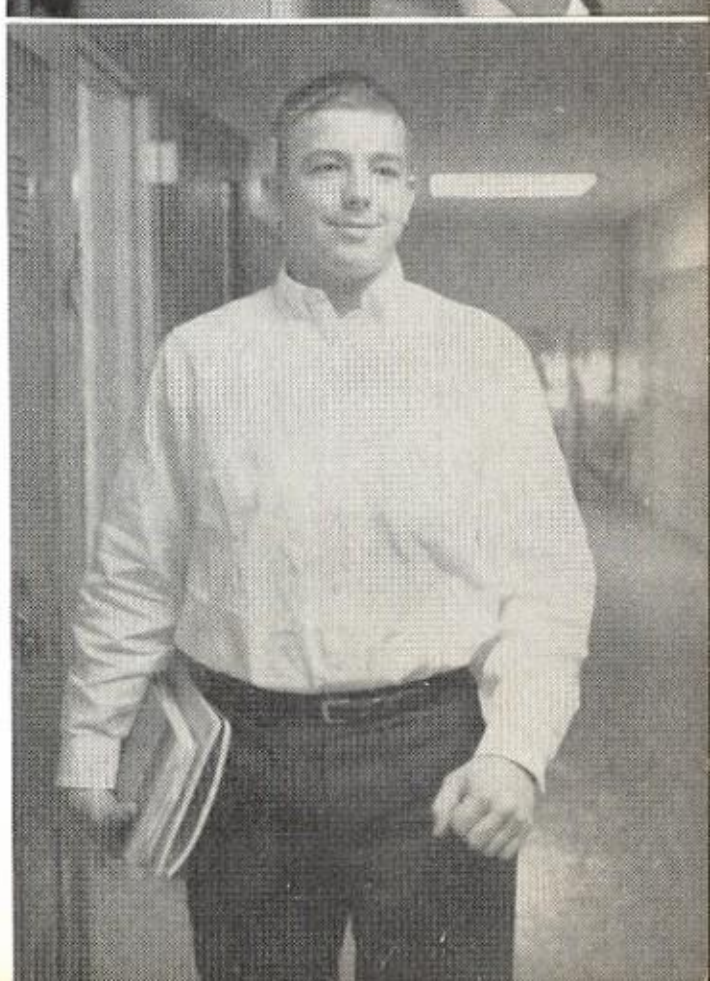
BEN JACKSON
Athletics
Senior Class
Vice President
Student Council Officer

STEPHANIE THOMAS
National Honor Society
Band
Carnival Queen
Debate Team

LINDA BEEBE
Jr. High Football Queen
Class Officer
Twirler
F. H. A. Officer



JOHN HILL
National Honor Society
Boys State
Senior Rotarian
Annual Staff



FRED ROLL
Senior Rotarian
Boys State
Student Council
Vice President
Athletics

GIRLS' STATE

Willa Rodman

Judy Hough

Betty Carter

D.A.R. AWARD WINNER

Stephanie Thomas

The DAR Girl is selected annually from the girls in the Senior Class by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The girl chosen is selected by her characteristics of good citizenship and leadership. An award is presented to the girl at an assembly at the close of the year.

Courtesy of HOTEL BARBER SHOP

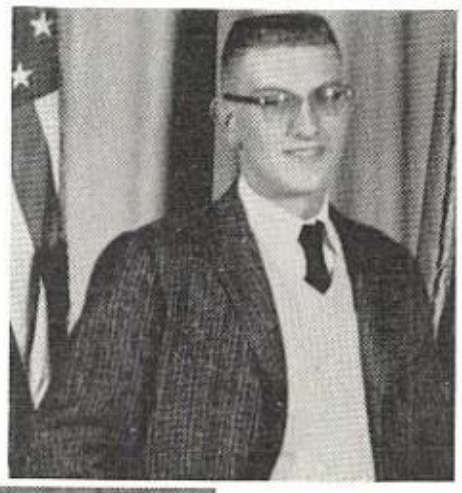
SENIOR ROTARIANS

Row one: Tom Lehman, Harry Barnes, Don Randolph, Tom Allen, Ben Jackson, Bill Waller. Row two: Charles Wilson, David Cole, Fred Roll, Vernon Minson, John Hill, David Duff.

BOYS' STATE

Harry Barnes

John Hill



Larry Bradford

Fred Roll

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S. Raines, L. Beebe, L. Applegate, S. Leforce, B. Carter, M. Lounsbury, K. Carter, Mrs. Butner, Sponsor; L. Mullican, D. Brown, M. Sumner, J. Hough, J. Faulkner, S. Thomas, D. Campbell, B. Waller, D. Cole, J. Hill, B. Jackson.

HORNET STAFF

Linda Beebe Editor, Mrs. Butner

A monthly school paper is published by the Hornet Staff throughout the year, giving the students information about the school activities.

Members of the staff.

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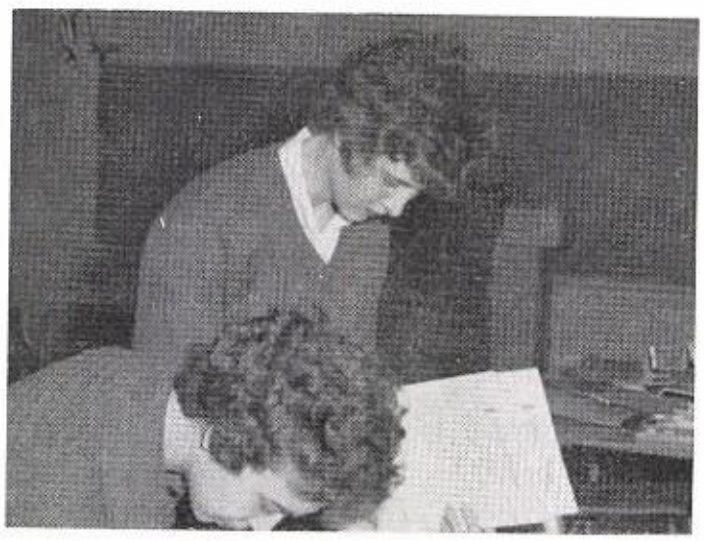
ANNUAL STAFF

Editor... Tommy Allen



It's Here Someplace

Gloria Speaks

Ahhh ... OOh ....

Staff Working ????

John's Unhappy

Happy Happy.....

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The main purpose of the F.H.A. is to benefit those students who plan on making homemaking a career. The club sponsors fund-raising projects to finance their program for the school year. This years members were: Campbell, Kyle, Whitesell, Lounsbury, Carter, Thomas, York, Curnutte, Mrs. Mitchell Sponsor . . . Campbell Leforce, Rodman, Thomas, Collier, McSpadden, Goins, Beebe, Sumner, Hough, Ferguson, Hamilton, Miller, Martin, Brown, Bowman, Giles, Kirby, Smith, Holden, Lindsey, Koon, Ware, Kirk, Davis, Dellis, Blythe, Sparks, Tyler, Carter, Faulkner, Graves, Chrisco, Litle, Rogers, Wxitchurch, Stanslaus, Mullican, Brewer, Darnell, Warford, Lee, Harrison, Garner, Baker, Leforce, Patrick, West, Ellis, Raines, Brown, Weaver.

SPANISH CLUB

Mrs. Brown, B. Carter, M. Sumner, T. Allen, B. Waller, M. Campbell, M. Carnes, P. Whitesell, J. Moch, D. West, C. Waterbury, K. Witt, T. Elliot, C. Martin, S. Schaefer, J. Warford, J. York, K. Curnutte, C. Zehring, N. Owens, J. Bankhead, G. Hall, P. Mobley, L. Kay, W. Boyd, J. Philips, R. Boatright, J. L. Charles, S. Leforce, L. Beebe, J. McMillian, R. Campbell, G. Null, L. Jones, J. Burckhalter, T. Driskill, M. Fritz, H. Barnes, R. Revis, J. Parkhurst, C. Meadows, S. Chrisco, J. Hough.

OFFICERS

Pres. ..... B. Carter
Vice P. ..... B. Waller
Sec. ..... M. Sumner
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... T. Allen

Class room scenes

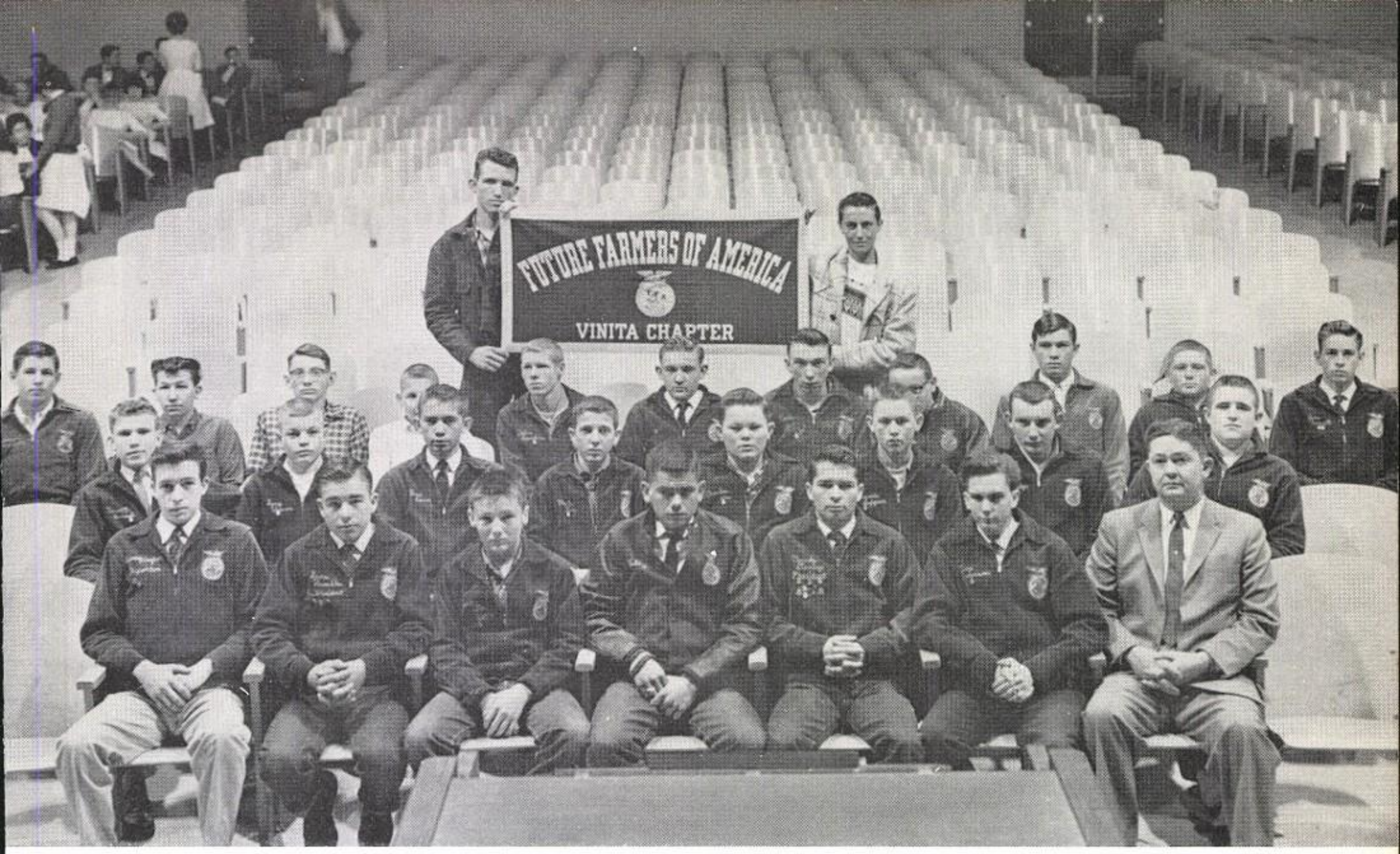
Courtesy of WILSON'S GRAND CAFE

OFFICE STAFF

D. West, D. Glenn, J. Hough, D. Carter, S. Chrisco, J. Faulkner, M. Sumner, N. Holden, L..Lindsey

LIBRARIANS

M. Boyd, R. Hopkins, P. Ballenger, T. Jeans, R. Saunders, S. Brown, W. Moore, E. Miller, M. Goins, L. Weaver, V. McSpadden, K. Bresenehen, N. Kyle, D. Campbell, Mrs. Monroe



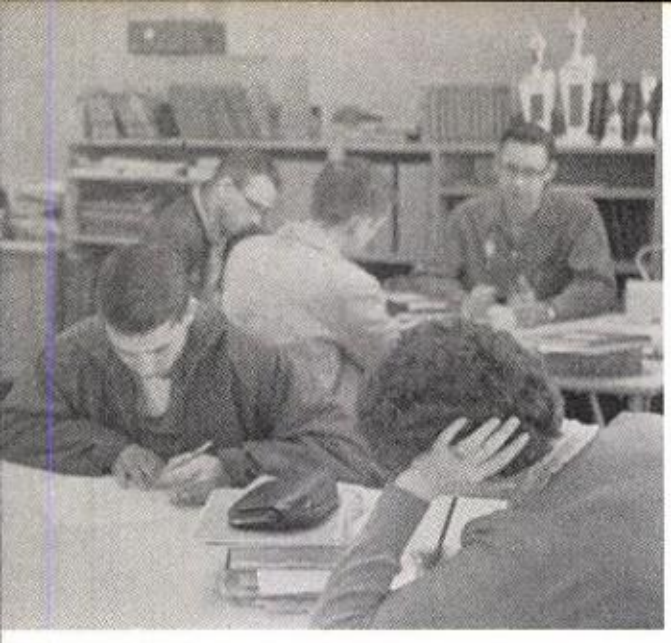
F.F.A.

Members: J. Taylor, J. Humble, S. Tate, K. Jenkins, C. Stanly, S. Anderson, Mr. Best Sponsor. K. Parnell. G. Weaver, D. Rowe, M. Kay, C. Ellis, J. Loftgreen, G. Coppedge, R. Ramsey, W. Kenmore. B. West. W. Bowman. B. Nail, J. Sanders, R. Greenwalt, C. Inman, J. Ellison, W. Kenmore, M. McDonald. J. Bennett.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

VOCATIONAL AUTO MECHANIC

Phoenix Brown Instructor



DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

OFFICERS

Pres. ----------Claude Stanley
V. Pres. ---------- Dallas Foster
Sec. ---------- Nancy Bennington
Treas. ---------- Barbara Giles

Students who are enrolled in the classes of Distributive Education are members of a national club organization. This organization attends the state meeting and the top students attend the national training conference in Chicago Ill.

Mr. Fred Wichert, C. Stanley, N. Bennington, B. Giles, D. Foster, K. Farris, T. Fritts, T. Elsey, D. Wareford, L. Smith, D. Rowe, D. Greenwalt, W. Fetter L. Bradford, S. Taylor, P. Coppedge, J. Marquis, K. Jenkins, J. Ohler, W. Sparks, R. White, S. Parnell, R. Ramsey, B. McCutchin, S. Lightfoot, J. Hetzel, B. Bennett.

V.H.S. BAND

Christine Zehring

Susan Ellis

Gale Sparks

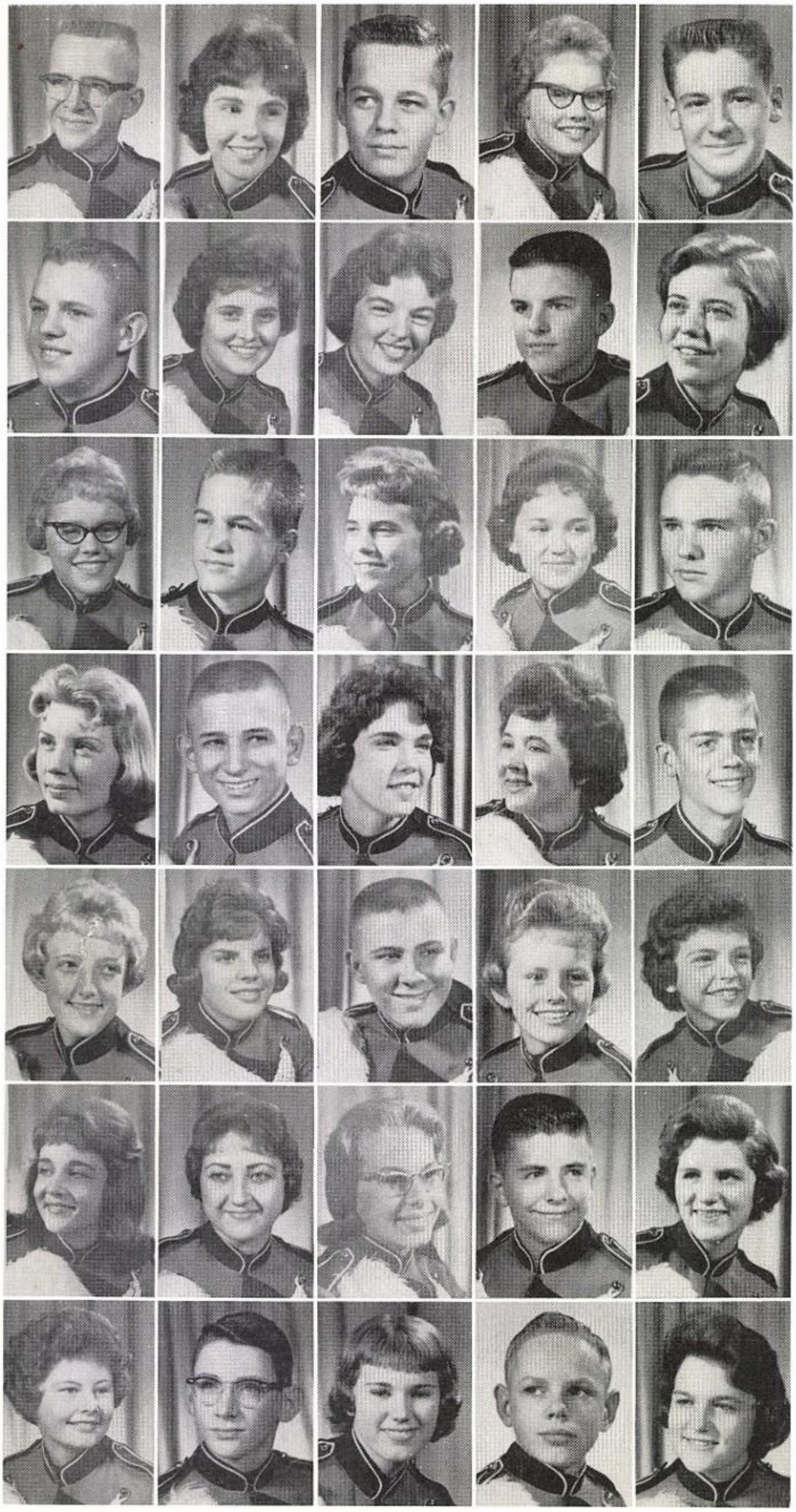
Seniors

Paula Whitesell

Drum Major
Wesley Moore

Linda Beebe

Ralph Rauch Band Director



P. Mobley
C. Patrick
J. Parkhurst
F. Rauleston
C. Wagner

F. Cheek
J. Litle
S. Thomas
J. Taylor
J. Ammerman

J. Wagner
J. Goins
S. Raines
S. Blythe
C. Bowen

K. Witt
P. Henley
S. Schaefer
S. Pitcher
J. Brown

P. Campbell
J. Hanan
G. Powell
P. Stanely
S. Thomas

L. McGettrick
J. Warford
J. Lewis
J. Klein
S. Leforce

M. Fowler
W. Bowman
N. Ferguson
G. Cheek
M. Polson

Courtesy of OKLAHOMA TIRE AND SUPPLY

T. Elliott
B. Nail
J. Thomason
M. Tyler
D. Null

L. Patrick
M. Vande
J. Dellis
S. Miles
B. Nail

R. Freeman
M. Hubbard
C. Martin
I. Bowman
C. Rodman

R. Harlan
N. Brown
C. Galyean
S. Easling
D. Daniels

H. Cheek S. Leforce D. Glenn D. Campbell

W. Rodman M. Lounsbury S. Thomas B. Wolfe

Courtesy of KLEINS APPLIANCE

OFFICERS

Dixie Glenn---------- President
Jimmy McMillian---------- Vice President
Theila Elliot---------- Secretary

Nancy Kyle...Accompanist

SENIOR HIGH CHORUS

Director Mr. Charles Chapman

1st row: Chapman, Stevens, Whitesell, Lee, Glenn, F. Hardrick, B. Hardrick. 2nd row: Bankhead. Harrison. Goins, Owens, Carnes, Chrissman, Freeman, Hamilton, Ferguson. 3rd row: Raulston, Underwood. Ballenger. Holloway, Hickman, Hubbard, Mullican, Elliot, Martin, B ewer, Kyle. 4th row: McMilliam. S. Anderson. B. Anderson, Boyd, Conner, Overgard, Gingham. Not Pictured: Whitedeer, Lee. Mitchell, Barker. Brookfield. Perkins.

CHORUS SCENES

SR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS

Mildred Sumner

Sharon Chrisco

Linda Lindsey

Janet Ammerman

Cheryl Patrick

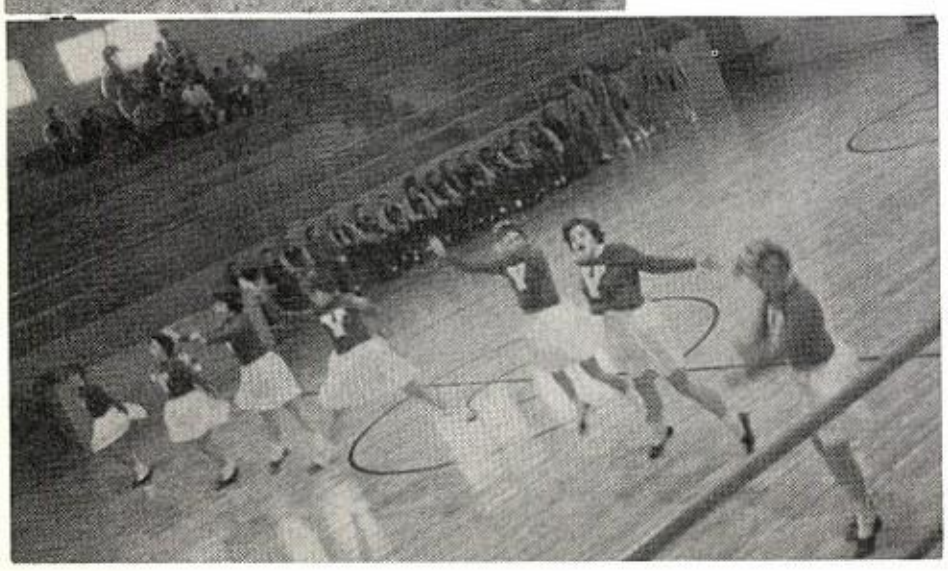
Judy Hough

Nancy Owens

Courtesy of MARTIN BROTHER'S FLORIST

1st: P. Ballenger, K. Hickman, J. Ammerman, D. Garner, L. Baker, R. Saunders, S. Chrisco, M. Boyd, T. Jeans. 2nd Row: J. Mauk, V. McSpadden, M. Goins, L. Stevens, C. Charles, L. Smith, D. Collier, S. Parnell, R. White, M. Kirby. 3rd Row: L. Lindsey, M. Sumner, P. Kempton, J. Bankhead, N. Owens, G. Lovins, S. Kirk, B. Ware, L. Green, J. Ohler, B. Giles. 4th Row: J. Hough, J. Green, S. Riggs, L. Mullican, S. Carter, J. Faulkner, B. Carter, K. Anderson, P. McKinney, M. Abbott, F. Rogers, K. Whitchurch. 5th Row: C. Patrick, M. Patrick.

PEP CLUB



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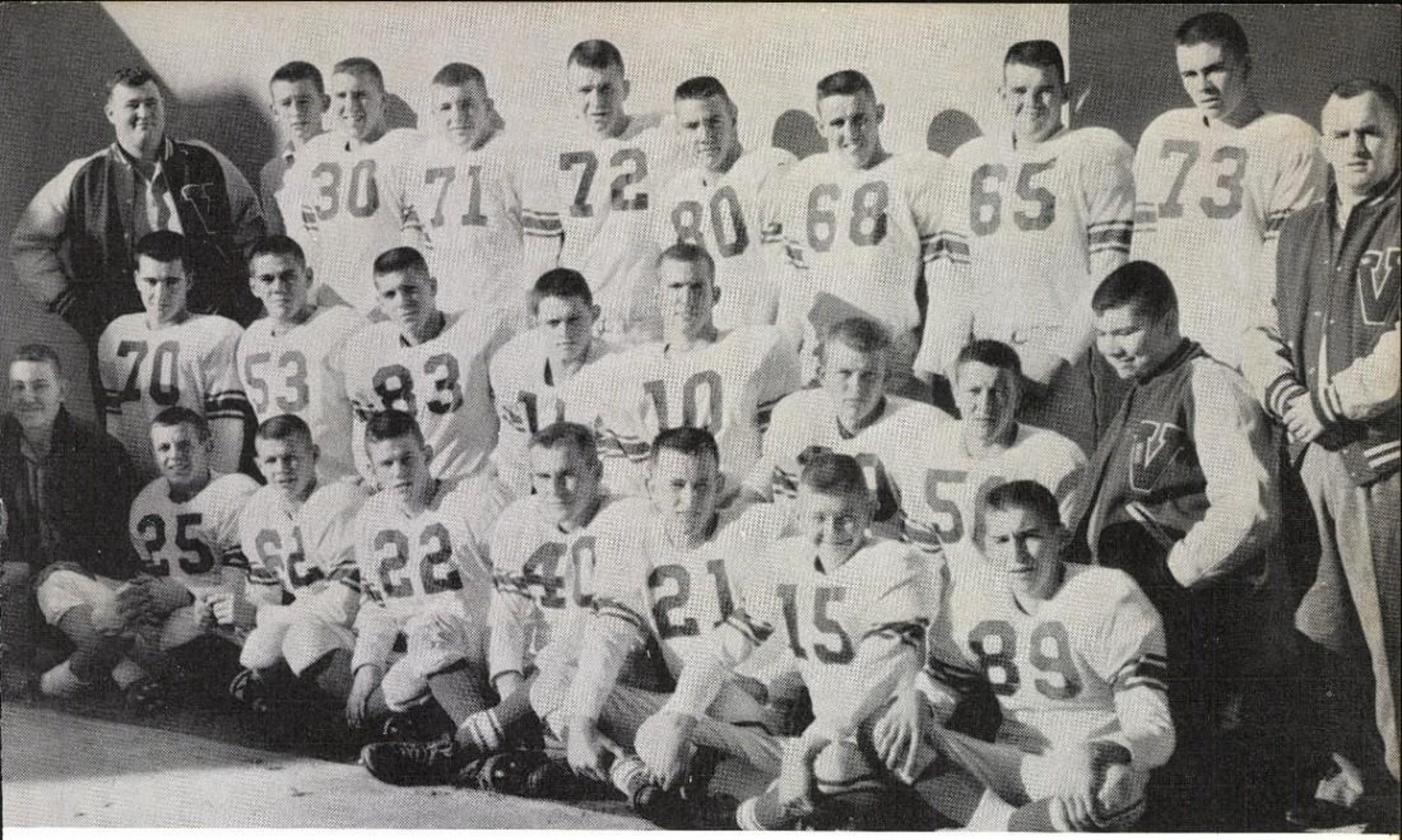

Back Row: Coach Richard Eddy, Roberts, Lane, Roll, Revis, Randolph, Allen, Mitchell, Carter, Coach Ronnie Johnson. Second Row: Phillips, Duff, Cole, Jackson, Barnes, Hall, Boyd, Null. First Row: Lehman, Cheek, Waller, Burckhalter, Harrison, Fritz, Boatright, Jones.

The 1960 Gridiron season got off to a rolling start for the Hornets with easy wins over Picher, Tahlequah, and Broken Arrow, and a not-so-easy win over Nowata in a hard fought Twin V game. The fate of the season was then told when a strong Claremore team handed the Hornets a 36 to 6 loss. Only once more were the Hornets able to bring home a victory; with Miami and Pawhuska following the pace set by the Zebras and Pryor and Wagner finding it a little tougher going, the Hornets were able to defeat the Grove squad before the curtain closed for the 60 season.

Two players from the Hornet's squad were chosen for the All-Conference team and three received Special Recognition. Those receiving honors were: Harry Barnes and Fred Roll, All-Conference; and Ben Jackson, Don Randolph and Bill Waller, Special Recognition.

Vinita	26	Picher	0
Vinita	28	*Tahlequah	8
Vinita	6	*Nowata	0
Vinita	24	*Broken Arrow	0
Vinita	6	*Claremore	36
Vinita	6	*Miami	24
Vinita	14	*Pryor	16
Vinita	0	*Pawhuska	26
Vinita	14	*Grove	8
Vinita	6	*Wagoner	16

* Conference games

The entire squad can justly feel proud of their record compiled over the past season. Percentage wise it was the best season of the past few years.

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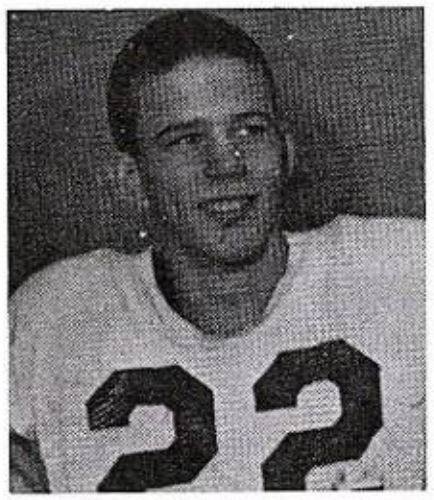
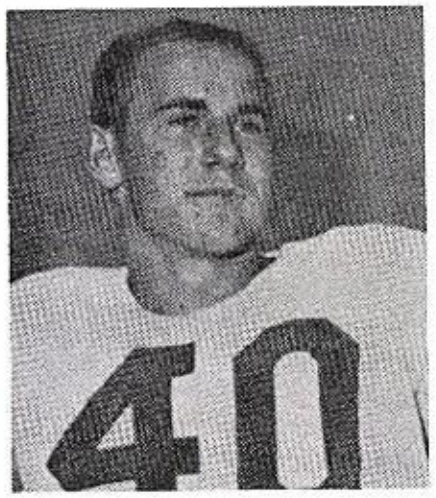


John Burckhalter
Sophomore
1 letter



John Harrison
Sophomore
1 letter
Offensive
Regular

Gary Hall
Junior
1 letter

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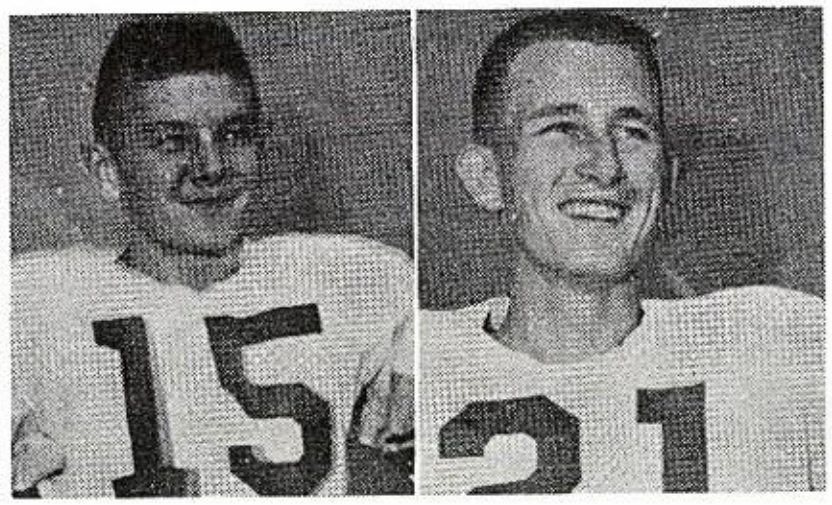
Ronnie Boatright
Junior
1 letter



Mike Fritz
Sophomore
1 letter

Ronnie Revis
Junior
1 letter

Joe Parkhurst
Sophomore
1 letter
Defensive
Regular

Wayne Boyd
Junior
1 letter
Defensive
Regular

Mike Mitchell
Senior
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Larry Kay
Junior
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Defensive
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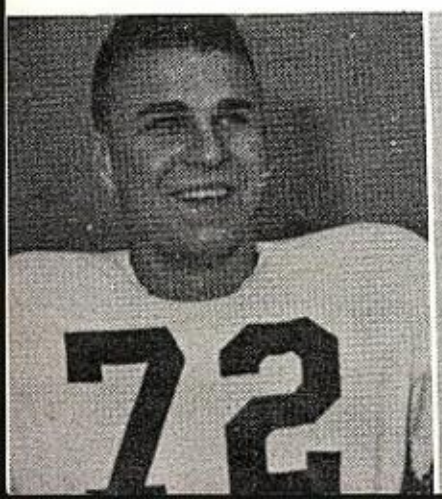
Jim Phillips
Junior
1 letter
Defensive
Regular

Leon Jones
Sophomore
1 letter



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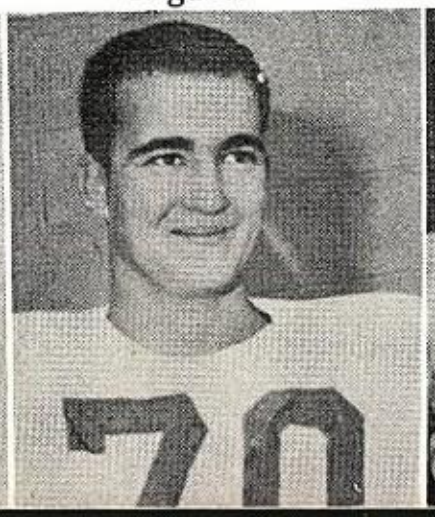

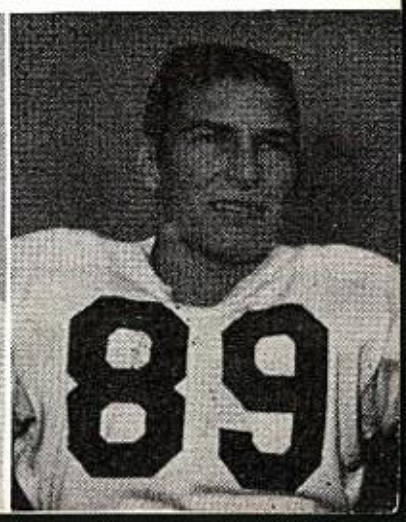

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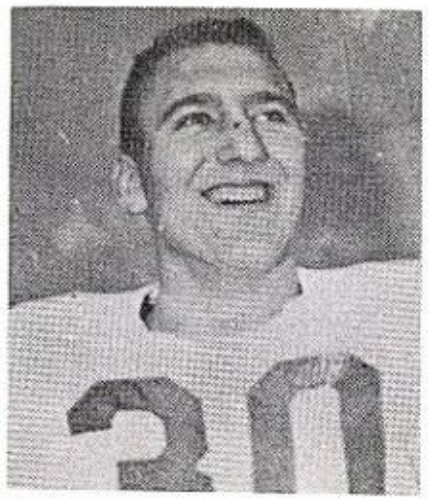
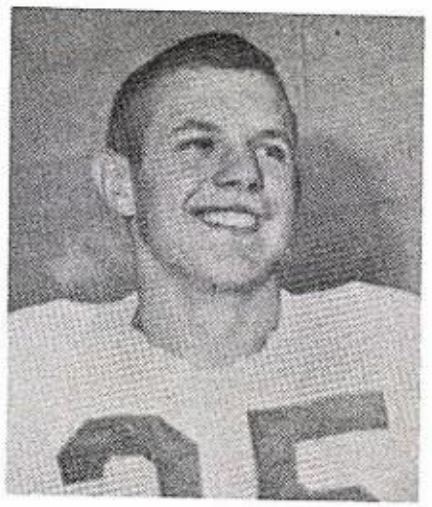
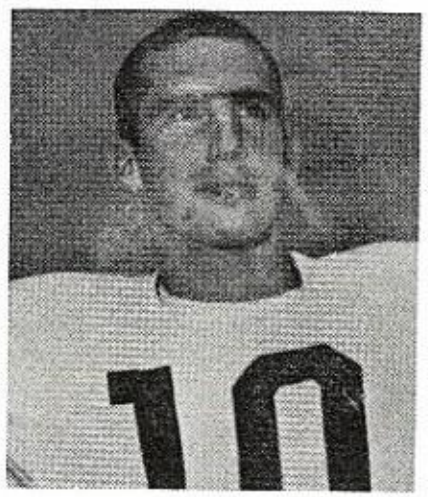


Ben Jackson
Senior
2 letters

Joe Lane
Junior
2 letters



Fred Cheek
Sophomore
1 letter



Harry Barnes
Senior
3 letters
All-Conference

David Cote
Senior
1 letter

Volly Carter
Junior
1 letter

Tom Allen
Senior
2 letters

David Duff
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Bill Waller
Senior
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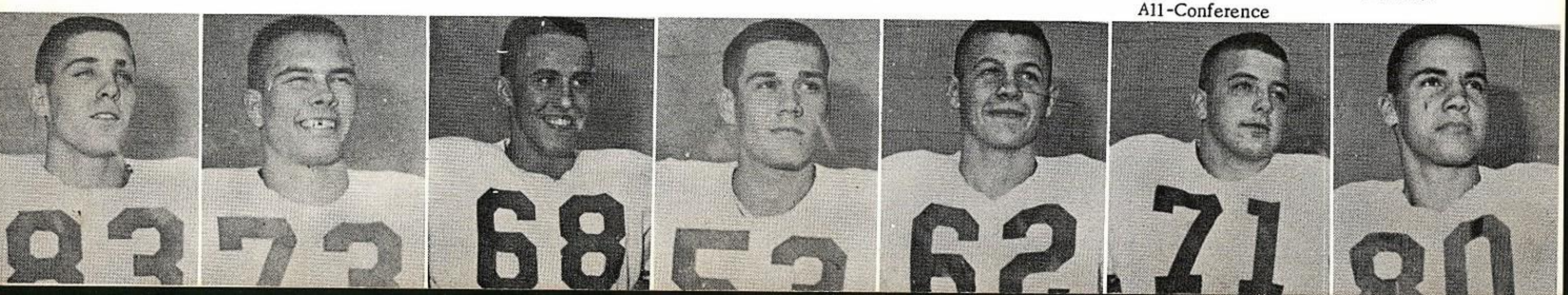
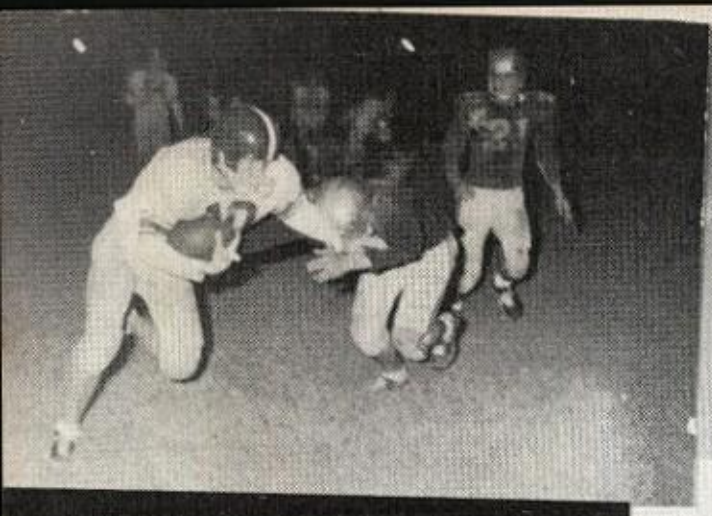
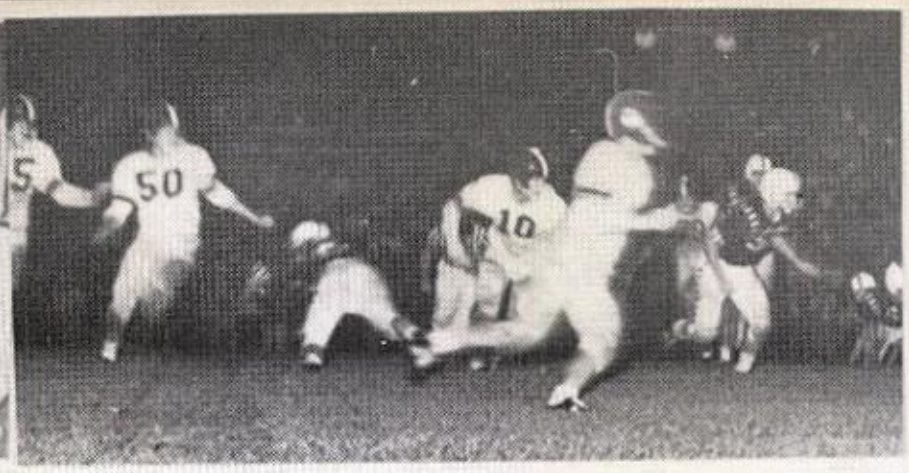
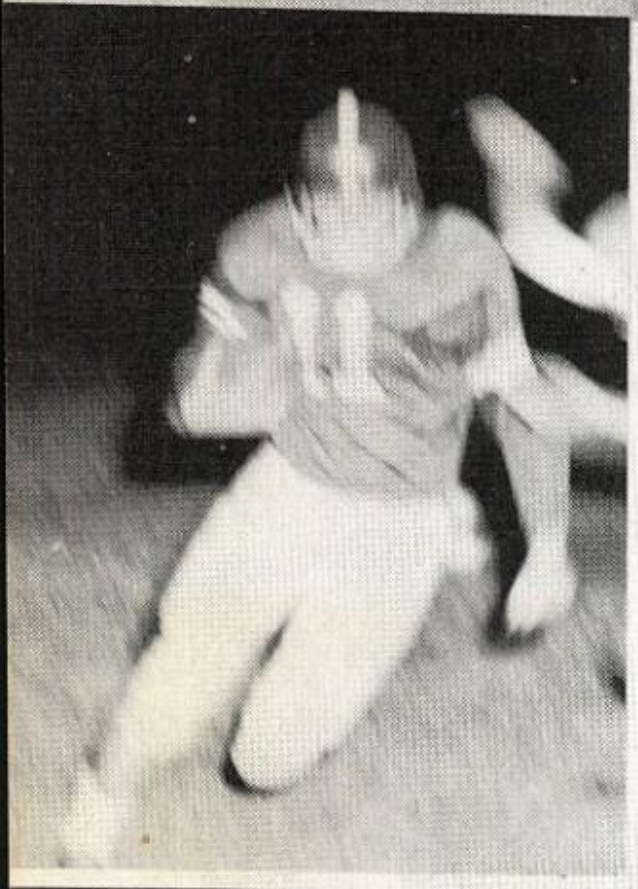
Fred Roll
Senior
3 letters
All-Conference

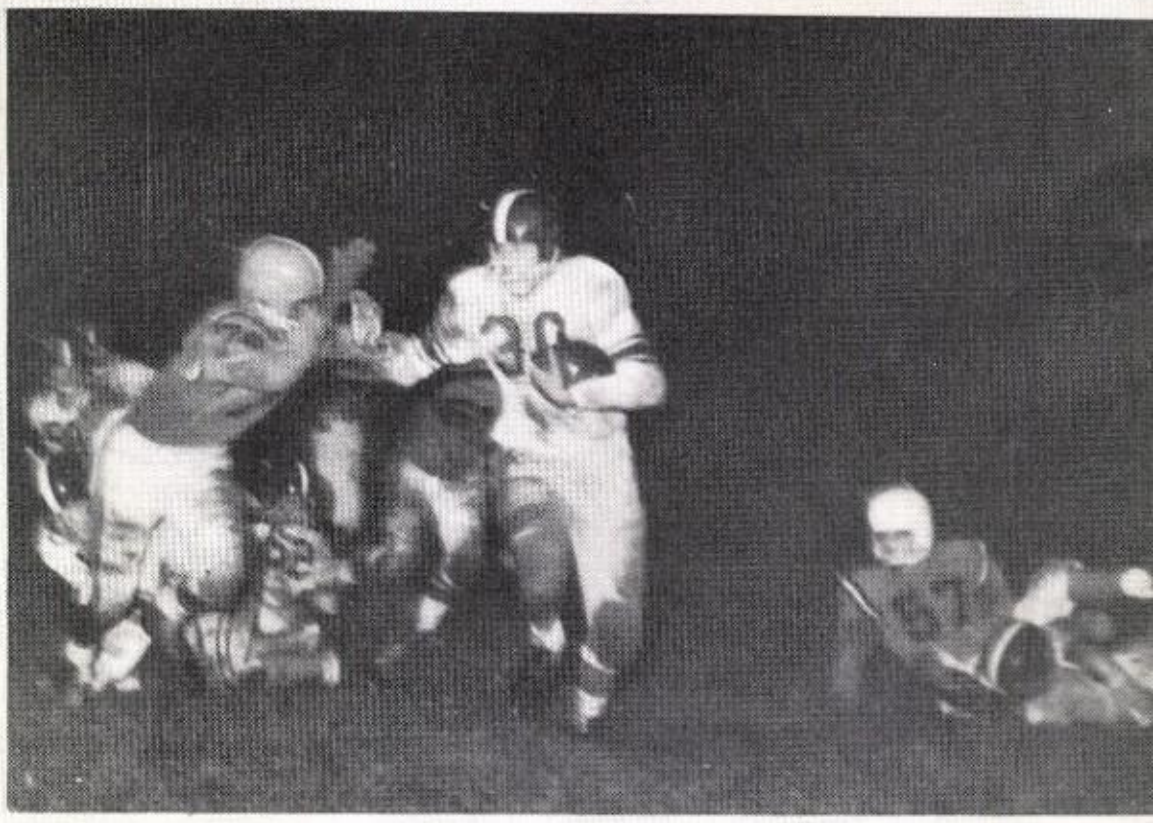
Don Randolph
Senior
2 letters

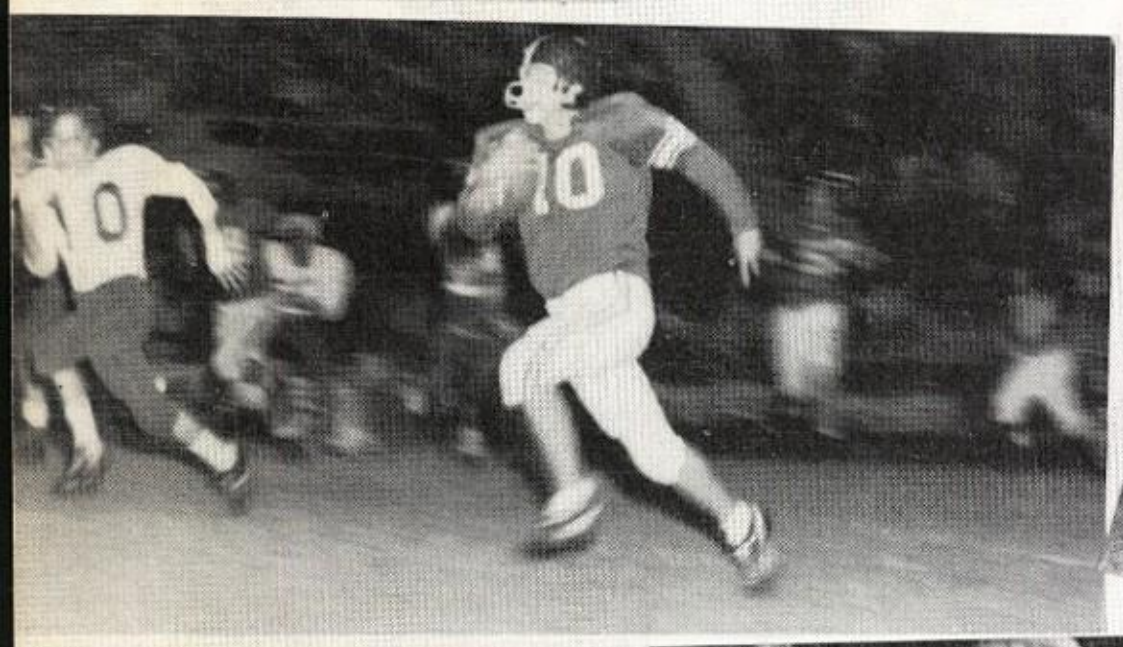


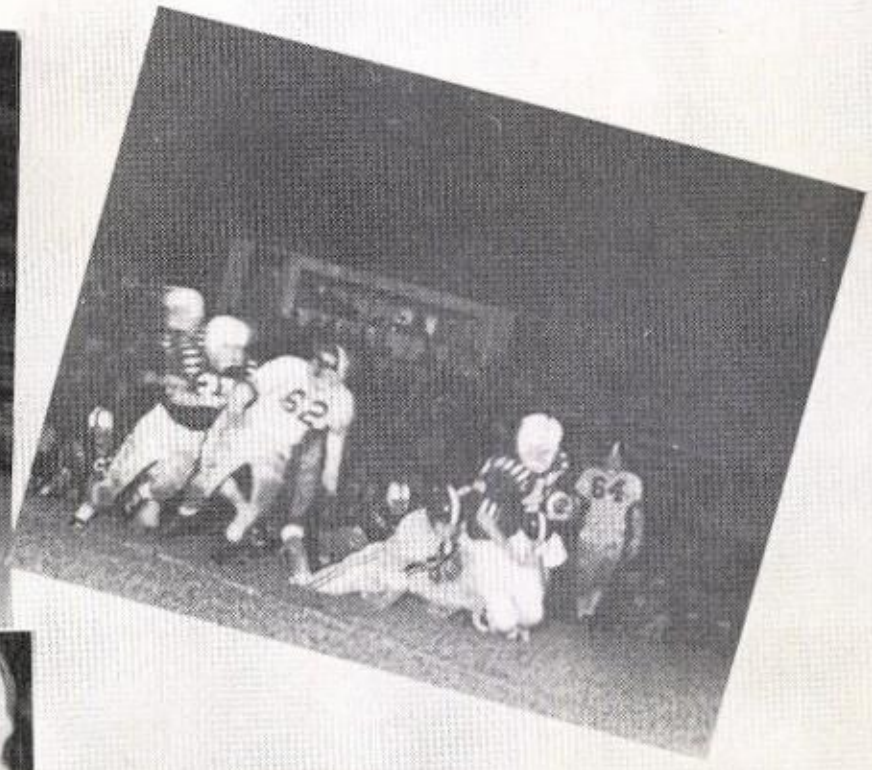












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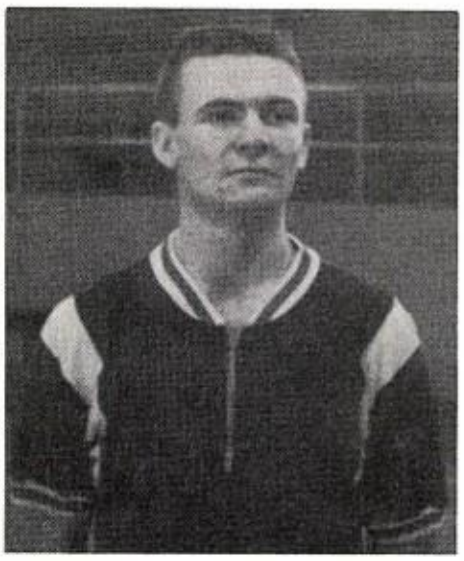

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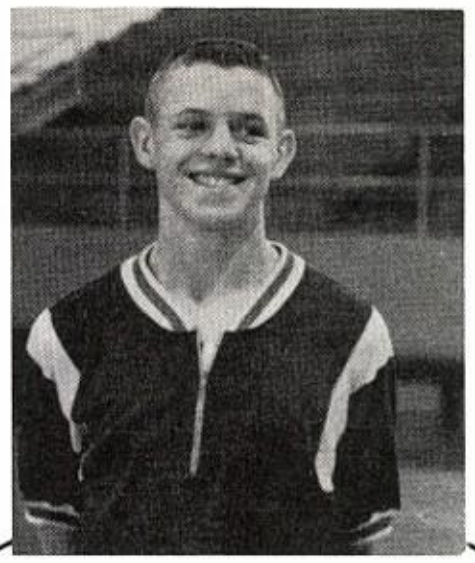
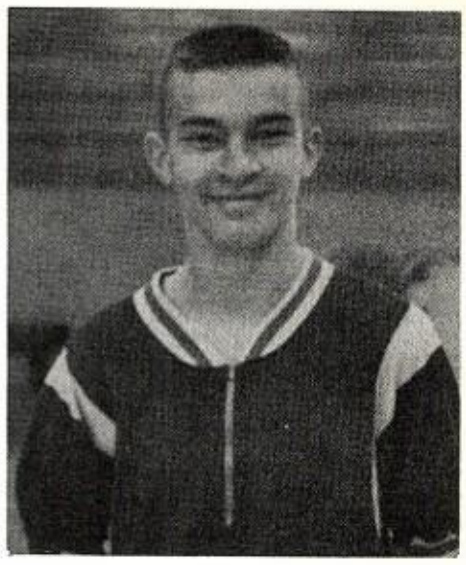


Fred Cheek



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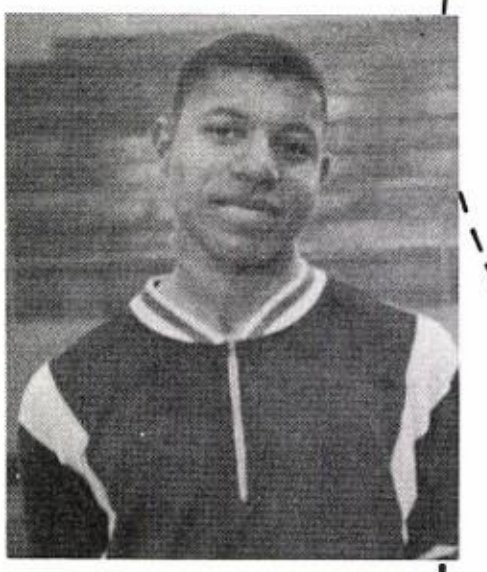
Jackie Brookfield



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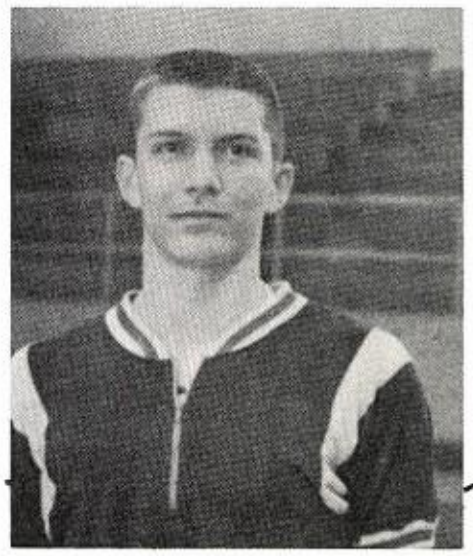

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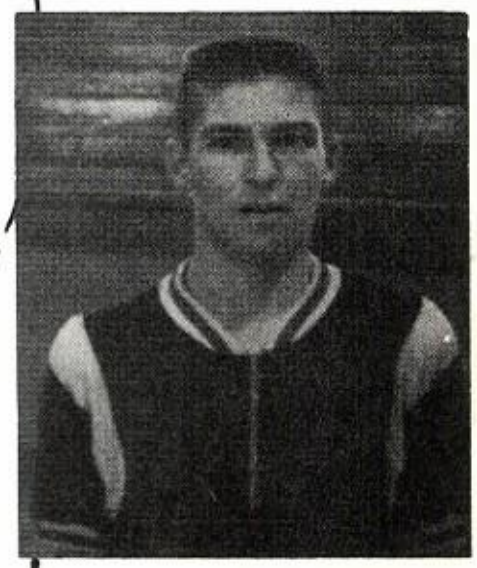

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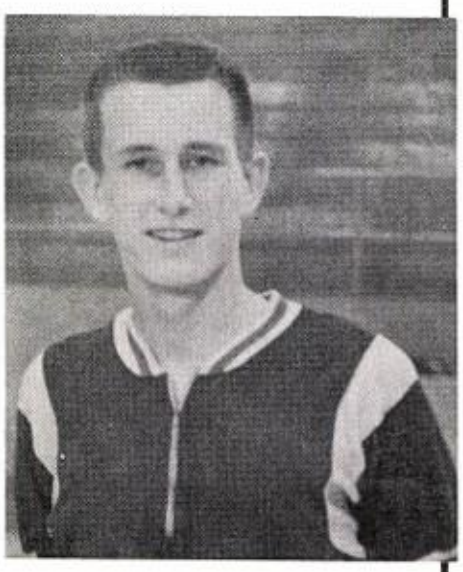

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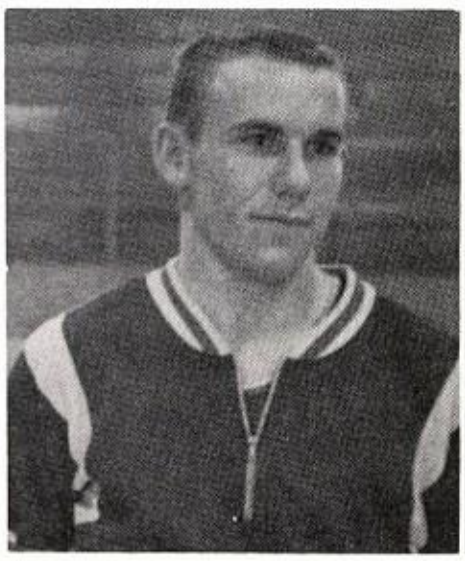

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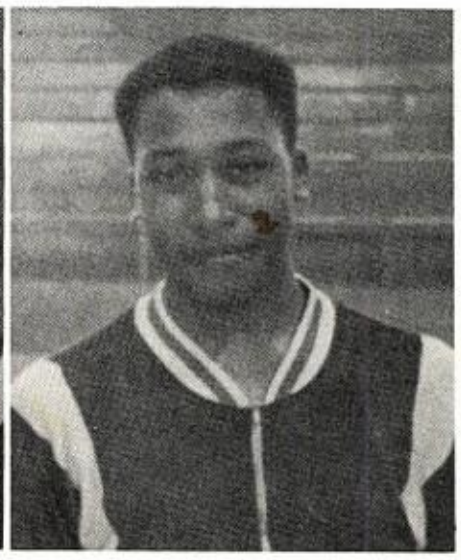

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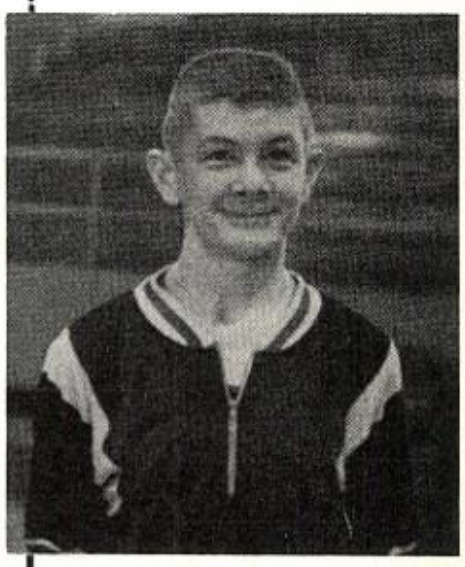

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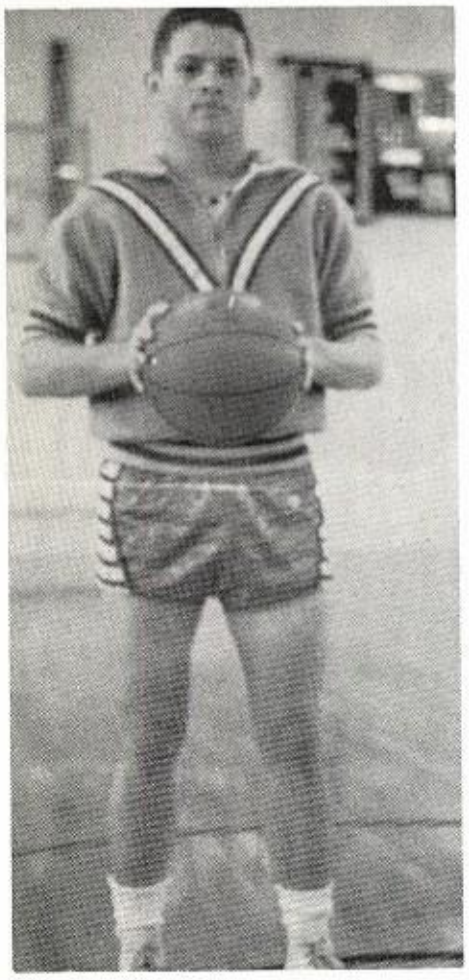
1960-61 BASKETBALL



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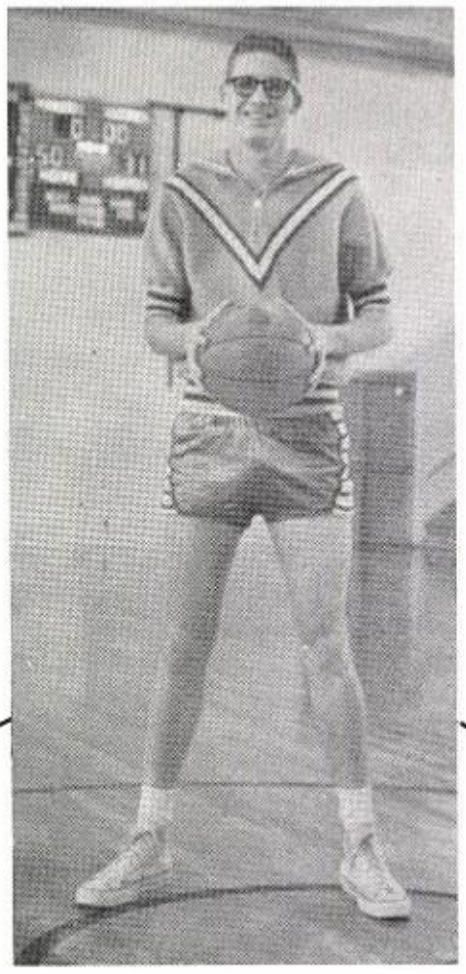

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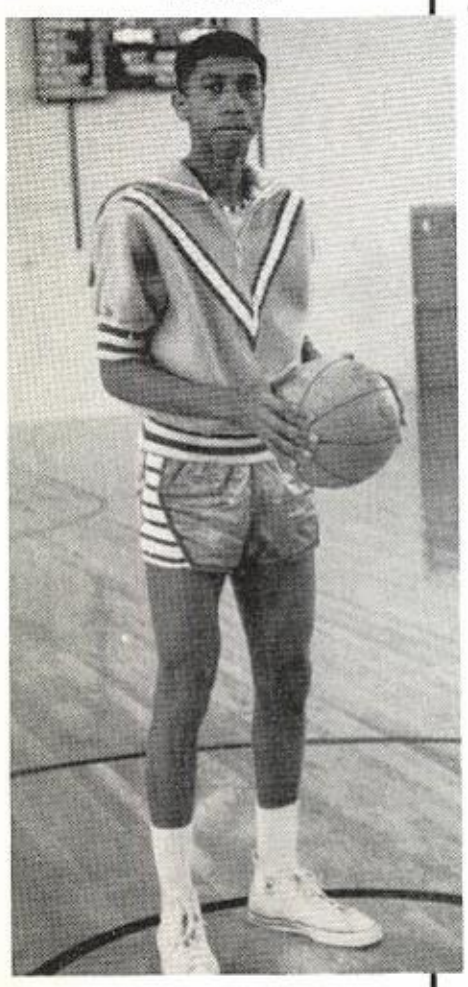

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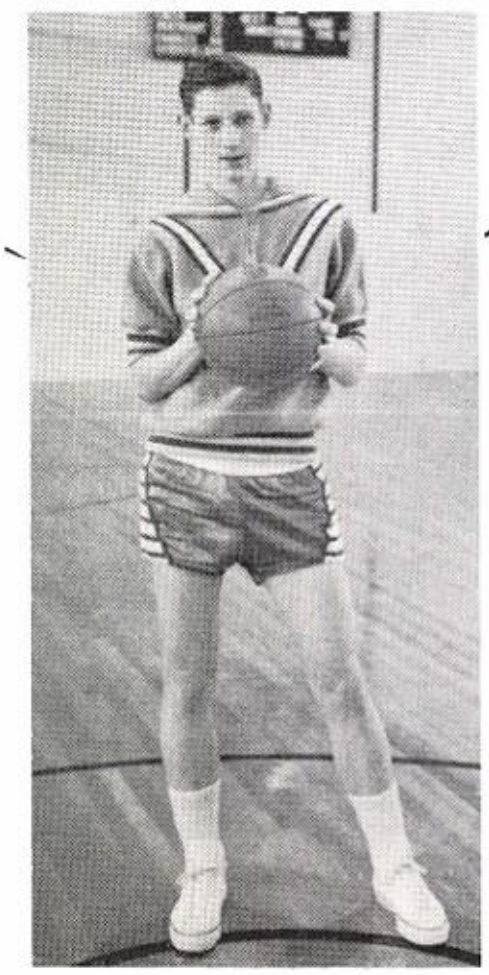

Joe Lane
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The 1961 Hornet Basketball team enjoyed its best season in several years. It won the Tulsa Nathan Hale tournament and a consolation trophy in the Neosho Invitational tournament. The Hornets tied for Third place in the conference race.

The Hornets finished the season with a 17 won and 7 lost record.

Vinita	39	Grove	28	Vinita	50	Wagoner	35
Vinita	31	Hale	31	Vinita	45	Talequah	34
Vinita	37	McLain	36	Vinita	43	Pryor	63
Vinita	43	Wagoner	40	Vinita	53	Miami	52
Vinita	53	Claremore	26	Vinita	28	Claremore	12
Vinita	60	Anderson	75	Vinita	33	Pawhuska	66
Vinita	62	Rocky Comfort	46	Vinita	34	Nowata	36
Vinita	51	Webb City	42	Vinita	50	Talequah	31
Vinita	28	Pawhuska	63	Vinita	45	Pryor	65
Vinita	61	Broken Arrow	32	Vinita	57	Miami	52
Vinita	44	Nowata	40	Vinita	54	Broken Arrow	41
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WON-17 LOST-7

Courtesy Of D. & M. CLOTHING

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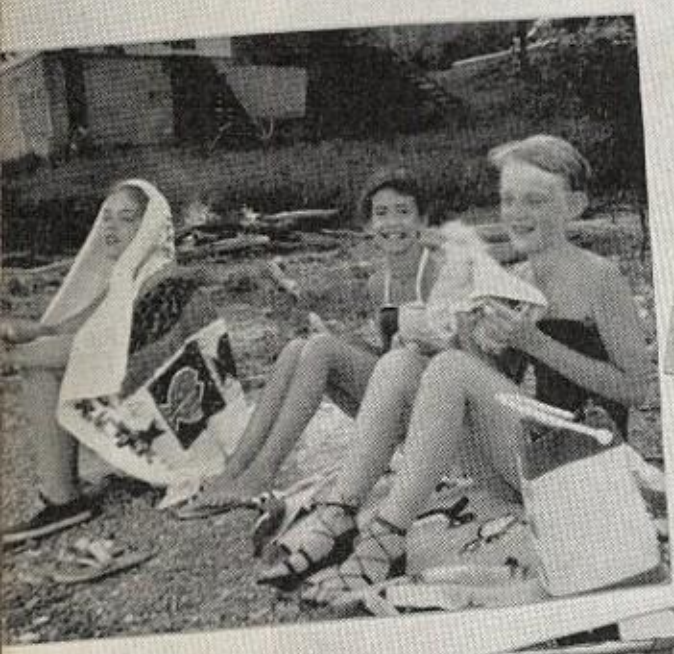

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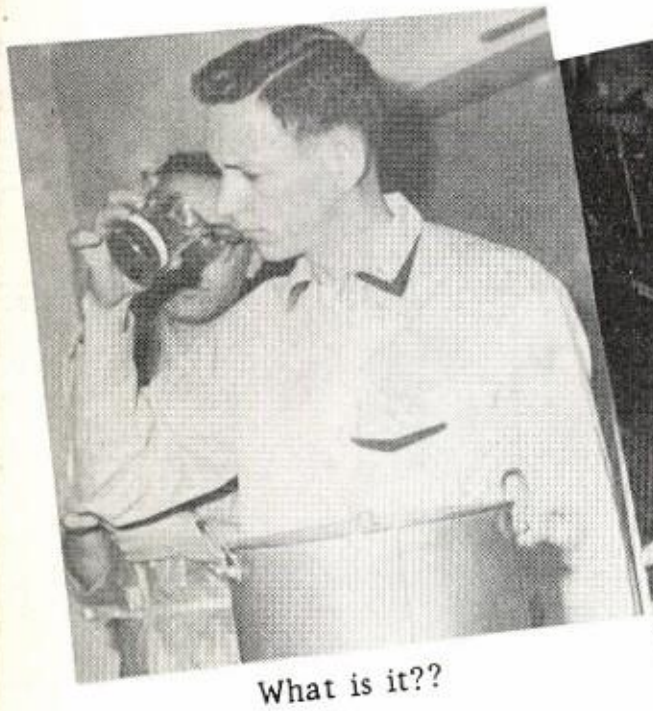

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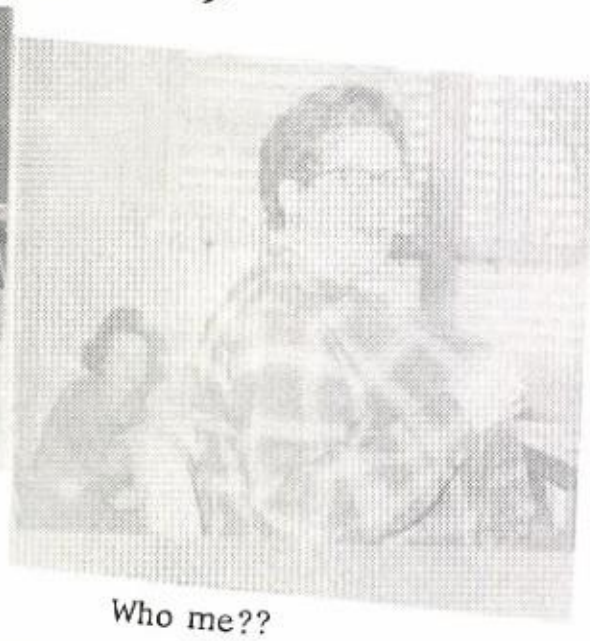
The Skaggs boys

Supreme Court

Ugh!!!

The Thinker



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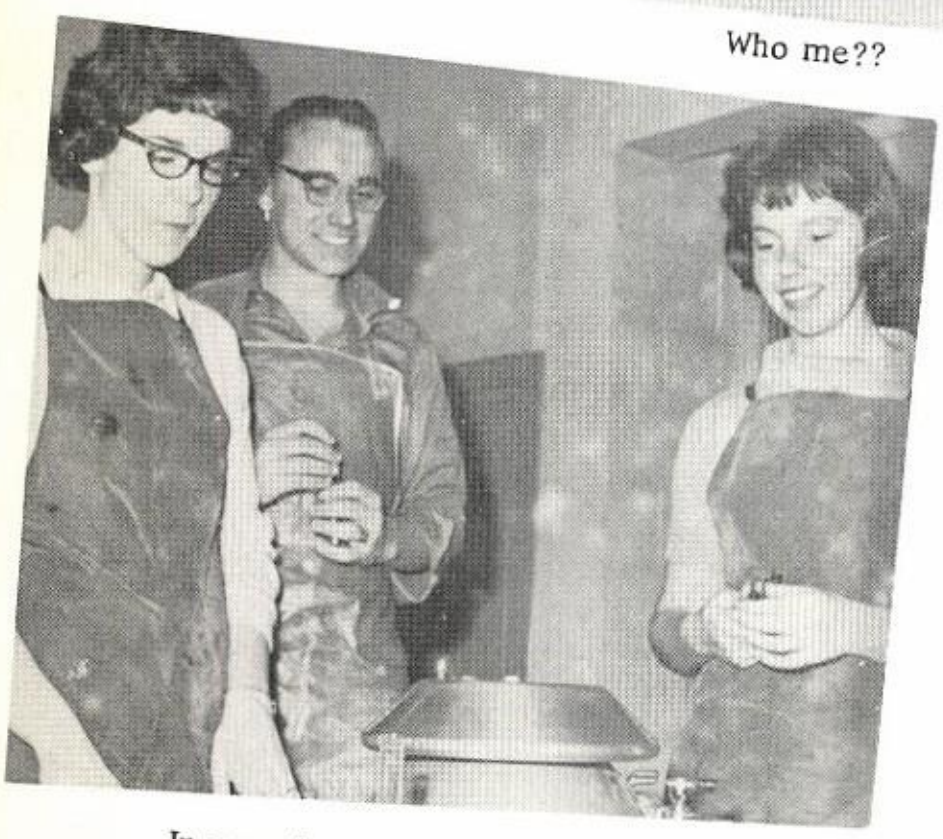

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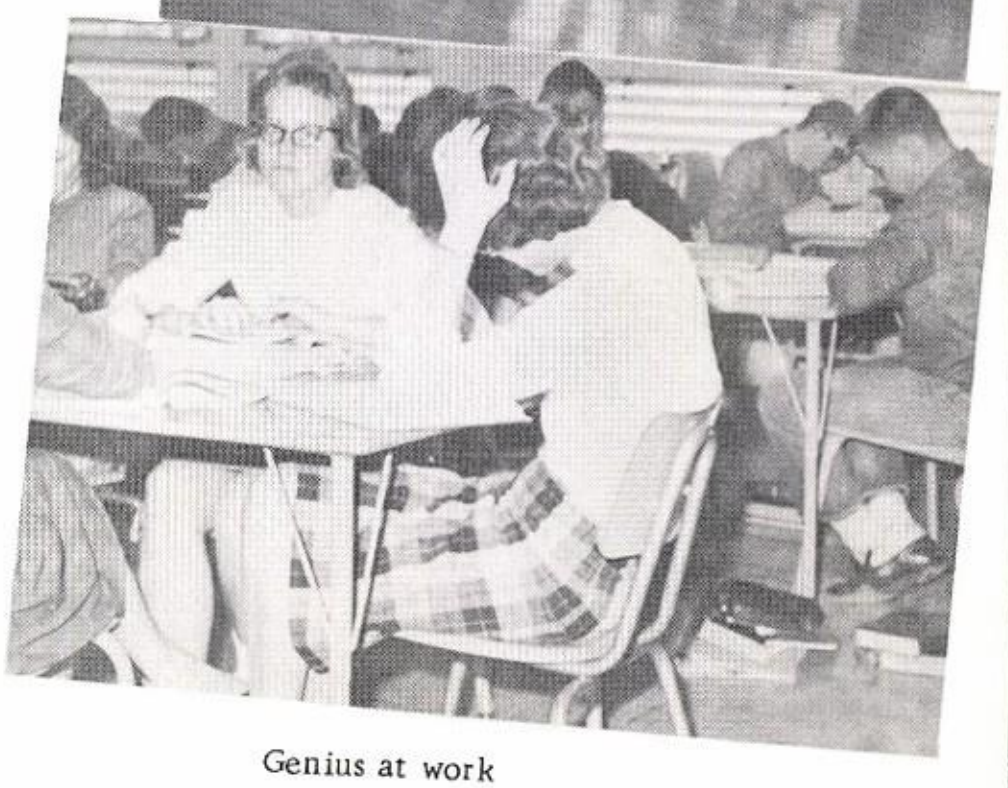

Genius at work

Courtesy of KENNEDY DRUG

FAVORITES

ANNUAL QUEEN
Mildred Sumner

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Pat Stanley

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SR. HIGH FOOTBALL QUEEN
Willa Rodman

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Sharon Thomas

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Sally LeForce

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JR. HIGH BASKETBALL QUEEN
Kathy Nail

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CARNIVAL QUEEN
Maudie Capehart

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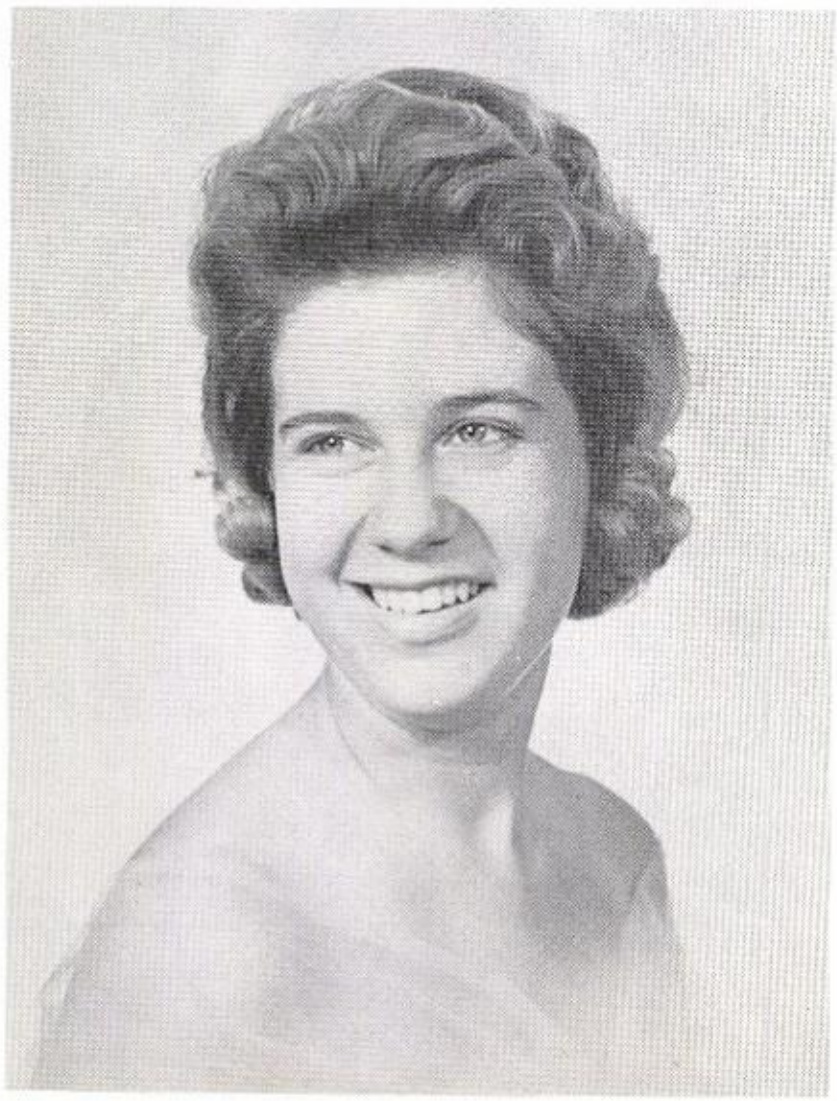

BAND SWEETHEART
Linda Beebe

SPANISH SWEETHEART
Aurora Sturdivant

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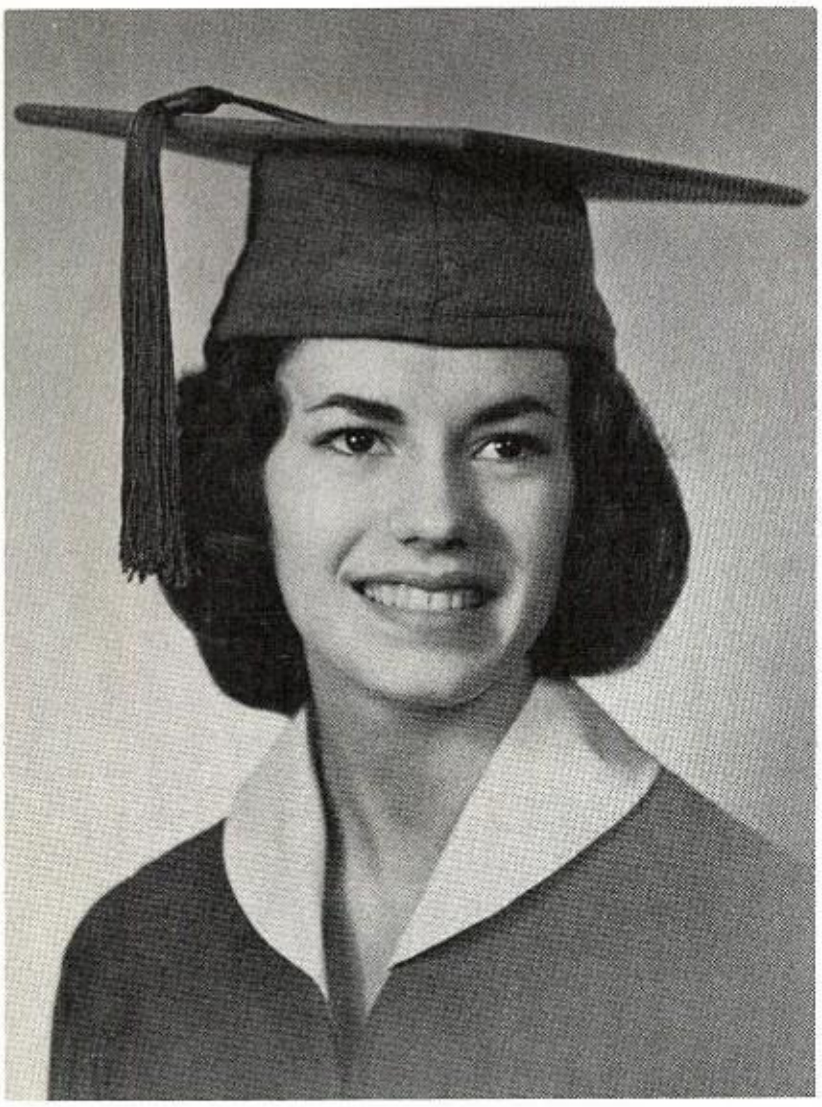

VALEDICTORIAN
Stephanie Thomas

VALEDICTORIAN
Willa Rodman

SALUTATORIAN
Lucille Applegate

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FOOTBALL QUEEN
ATTENDANT
Sandra Raines

FOOTBALL QUEEN
ATTENDANT
Sharon Carter

BASKETBALL QUEEN
ATTENDANT
Rita Saunders

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ATTENDANT
Linda Baker

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Jan Driskill

FOOTBALL QUEEN
ATTENDANT
Mary Ann Rupp

BASKETBALL QUEEN
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Celia Rodman

BASKETBALL QUEEN
ATTENDANT
Marsha Hildebrand

Courtesy of CARTER'S SHOPPING CENTER

Queen Willa and her Court of Honor

Our Band presents one of its fine Half-time shows

Queen Salley and
her attendants

Courtesy of VINITA LUMBER CO.

The King and Anna

JUNIOR PLAY

"THE KING AND I"

Directed by
Jack Topping

Musical Director
Charles Chapman

Supporting Cast

The King's Wives

The Dancing Girls

The King's Children

Courtesy of 1ST NATIONAL BANK

SENIOR PLAY

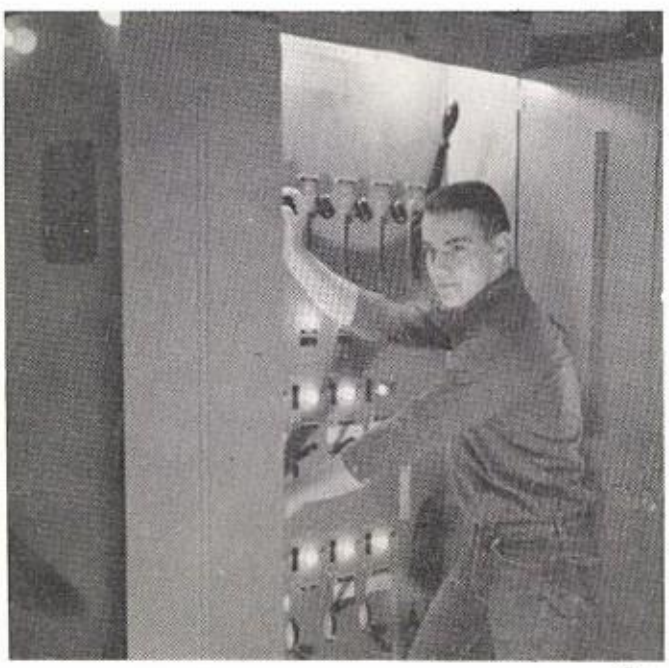
"THE TEN COMMANDMENTS"

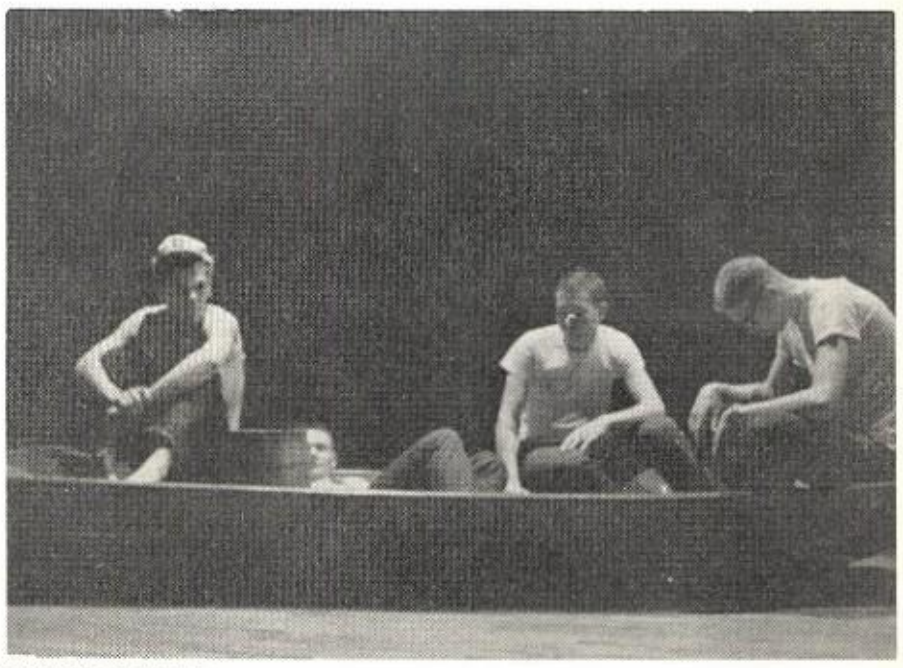
Directed by
Jack Topping

Moses, Nefretiri, and Rameses

Supporting cast of "The Ten Commandments"

Scences from the "Minor Miracle"





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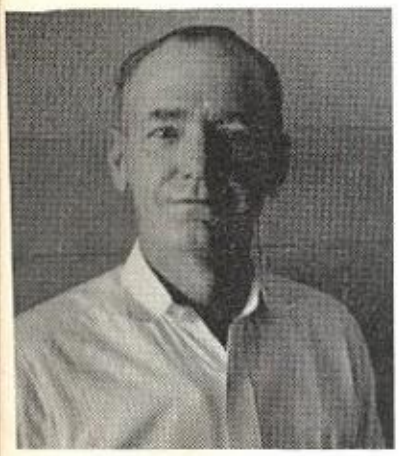
BUS DRIVERS

Mr. Jennings
Mr. Abbott
Mr. Barnes

Mr. Fleming

Mr. Jones



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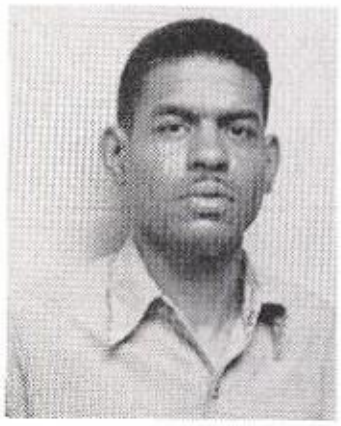

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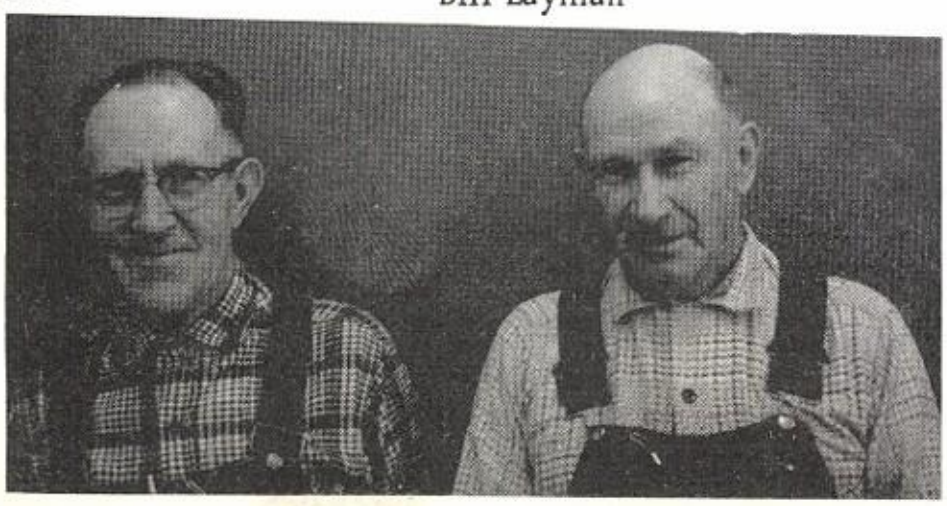

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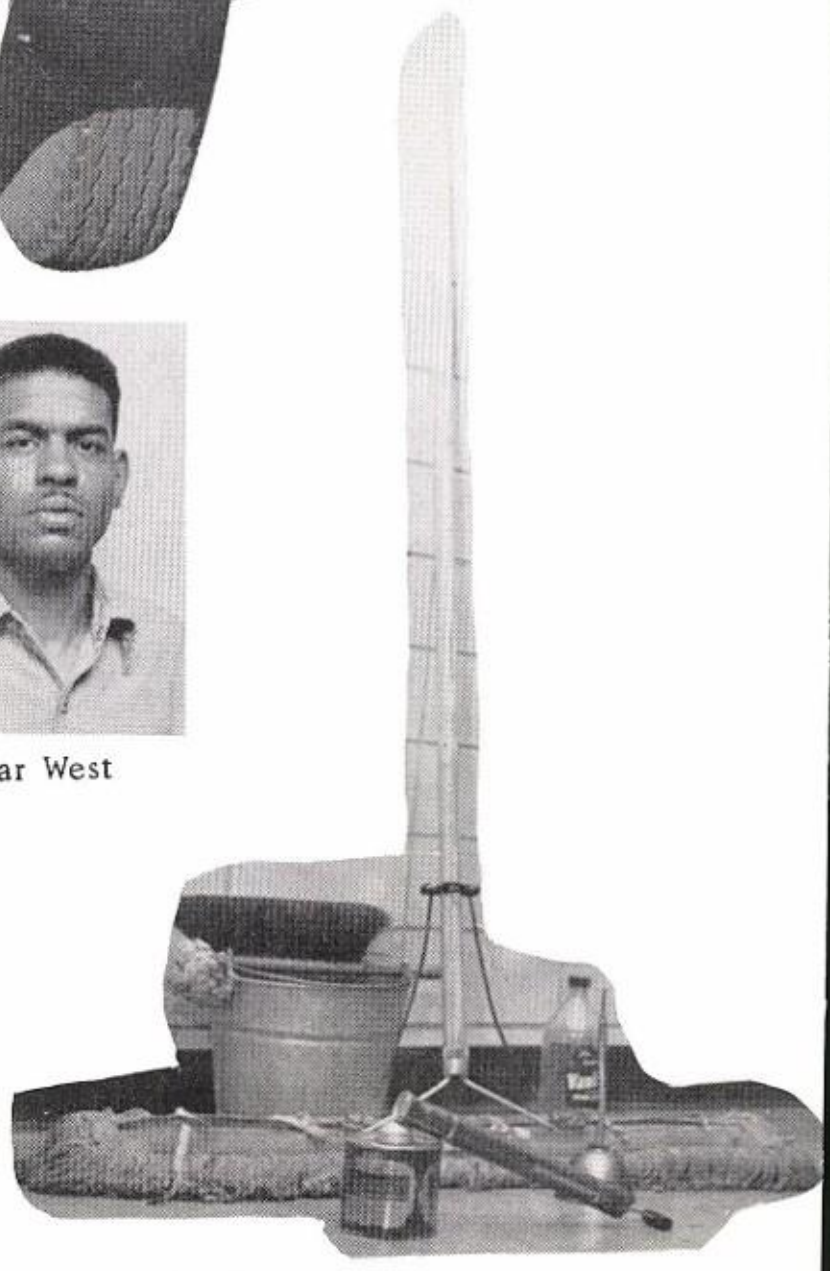

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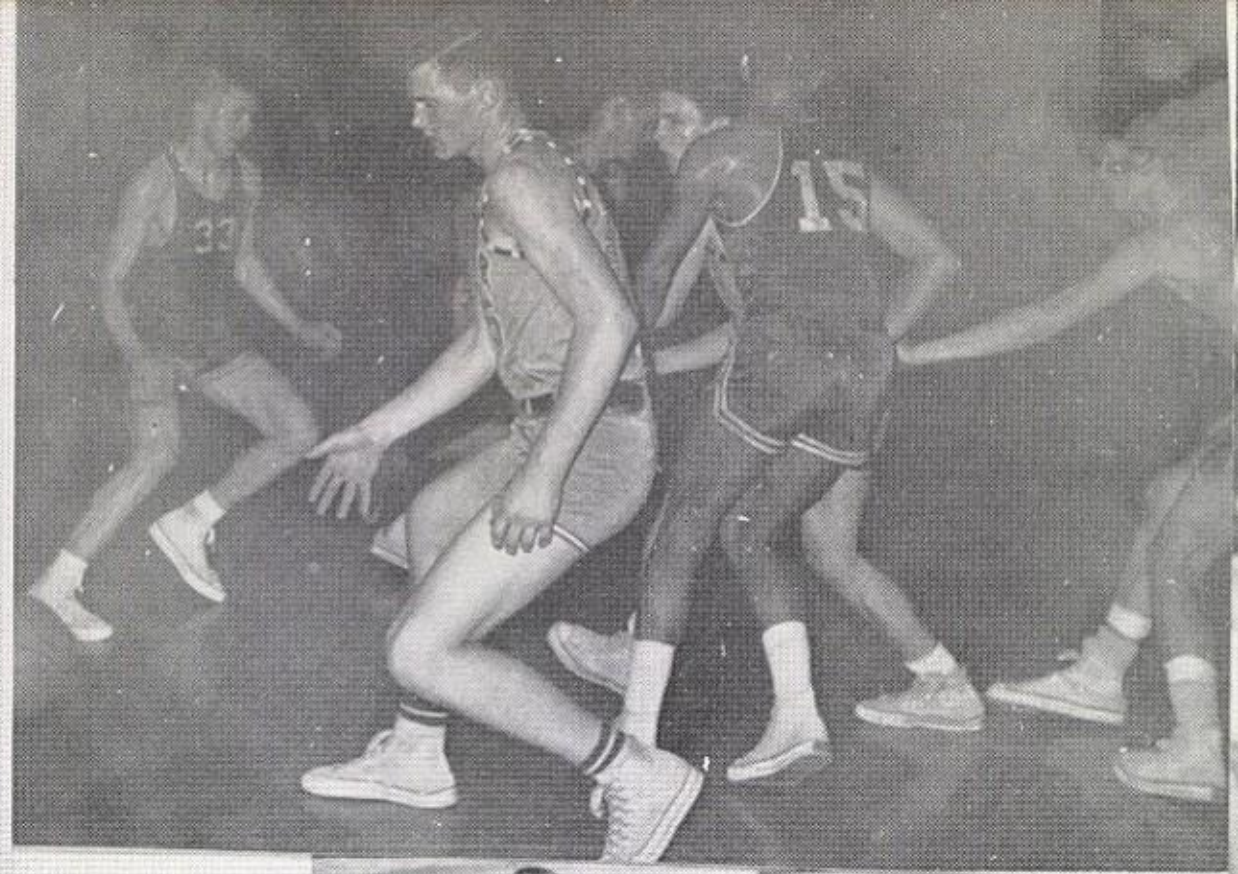

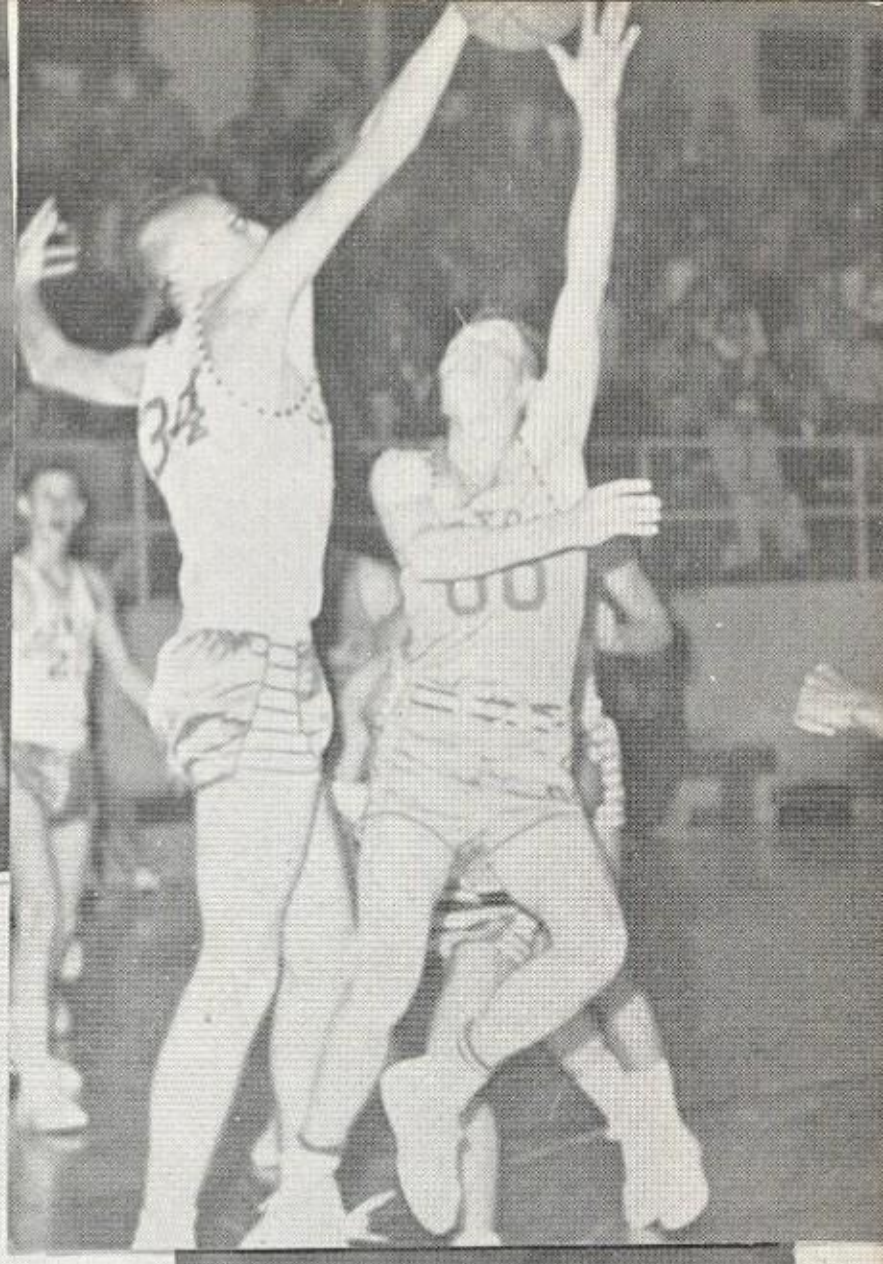

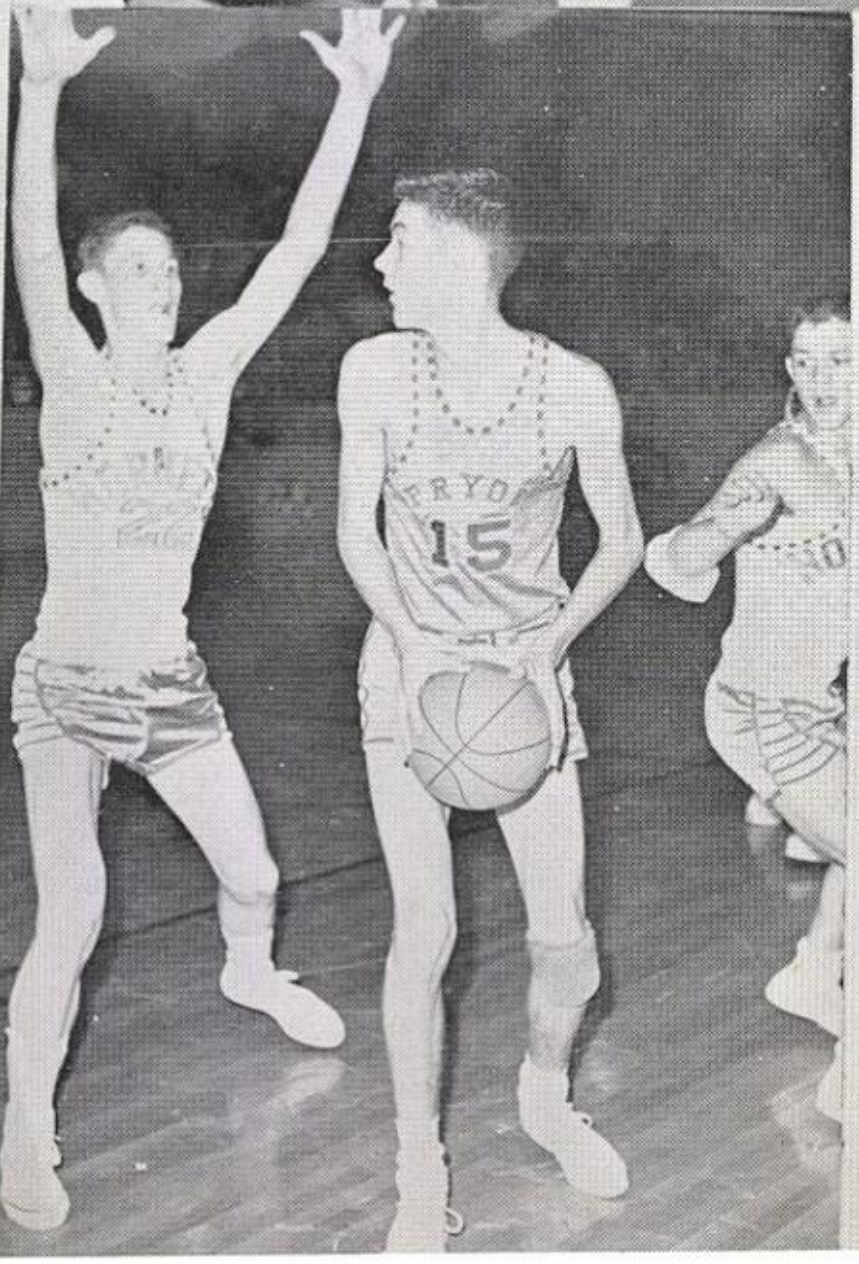

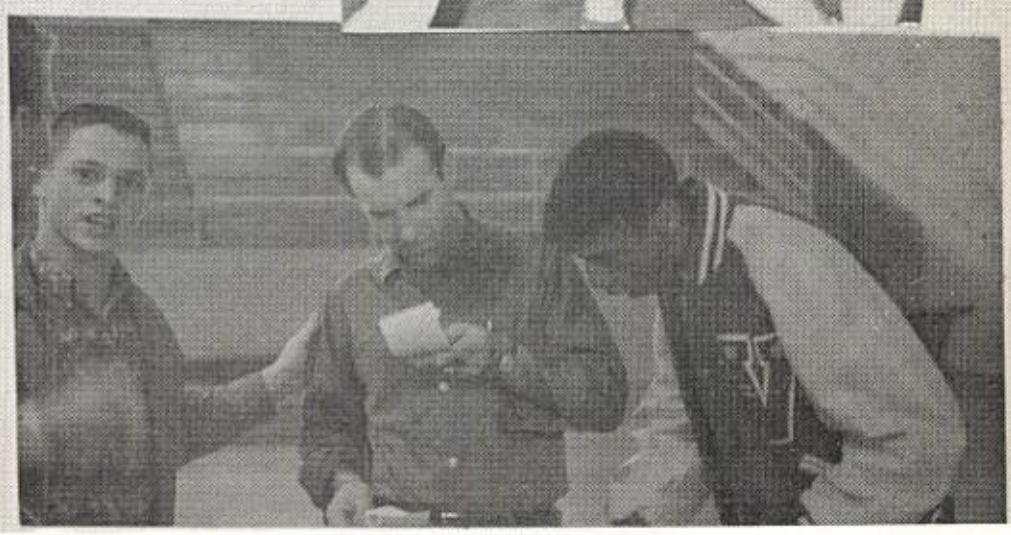

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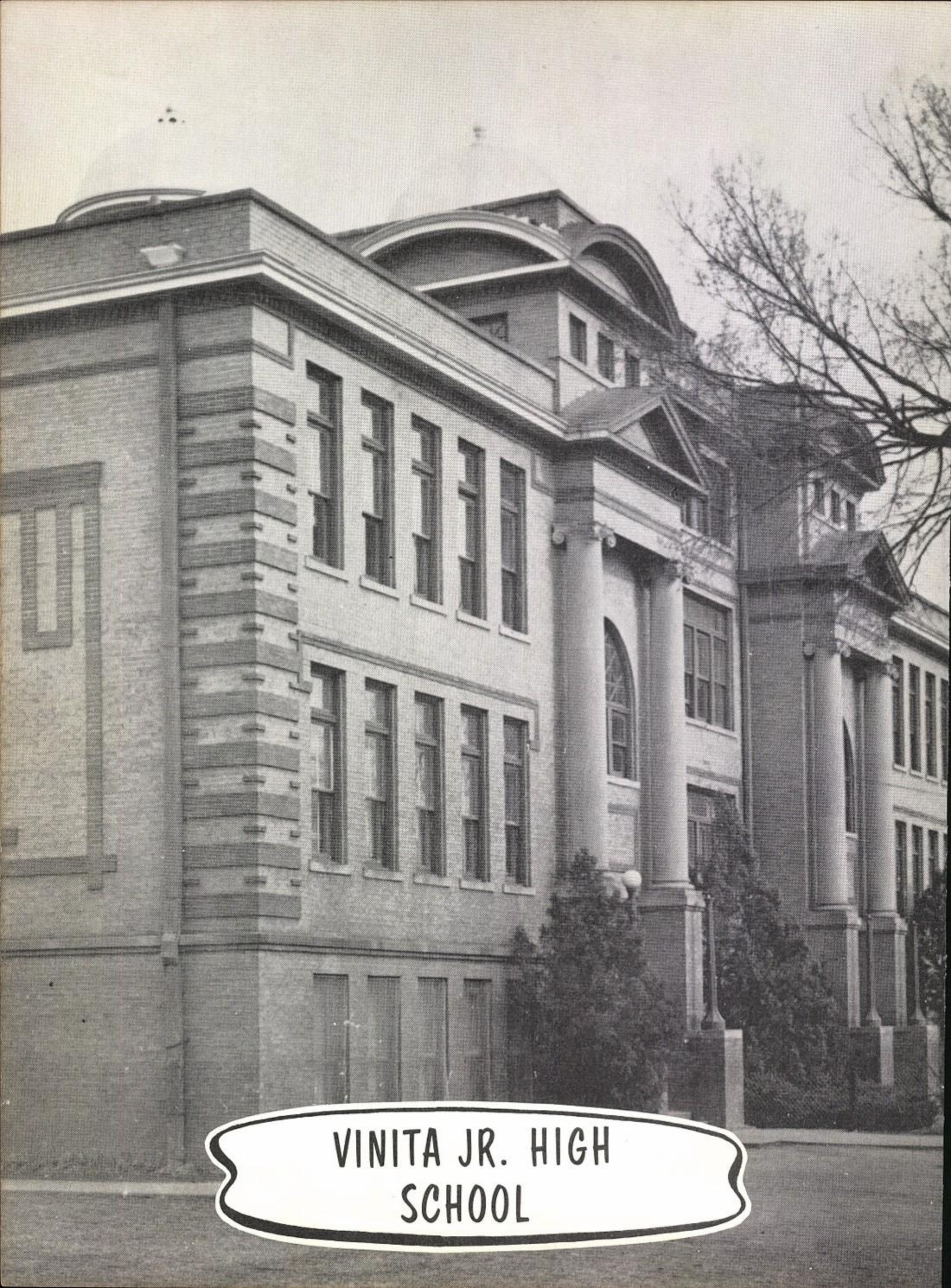

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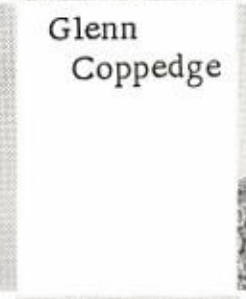

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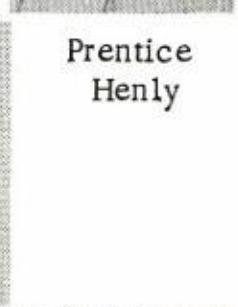

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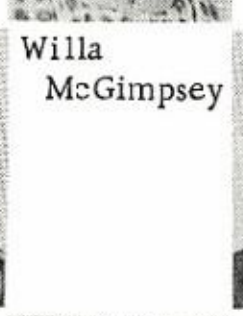

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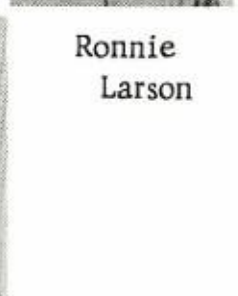

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Erma Riley

William Mitchell

Charelette Rowe

Robert Nail

Linda Showler

Roger Ortlieb

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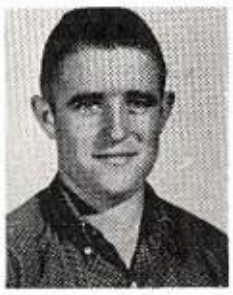

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Susan Woodall

Tommy Spradlin

Carter Sumner

Ronald Sunday

Sonny Tate

Johnny Thomason

Steve Tippett

Richard Tomlin

Hugh Trimble

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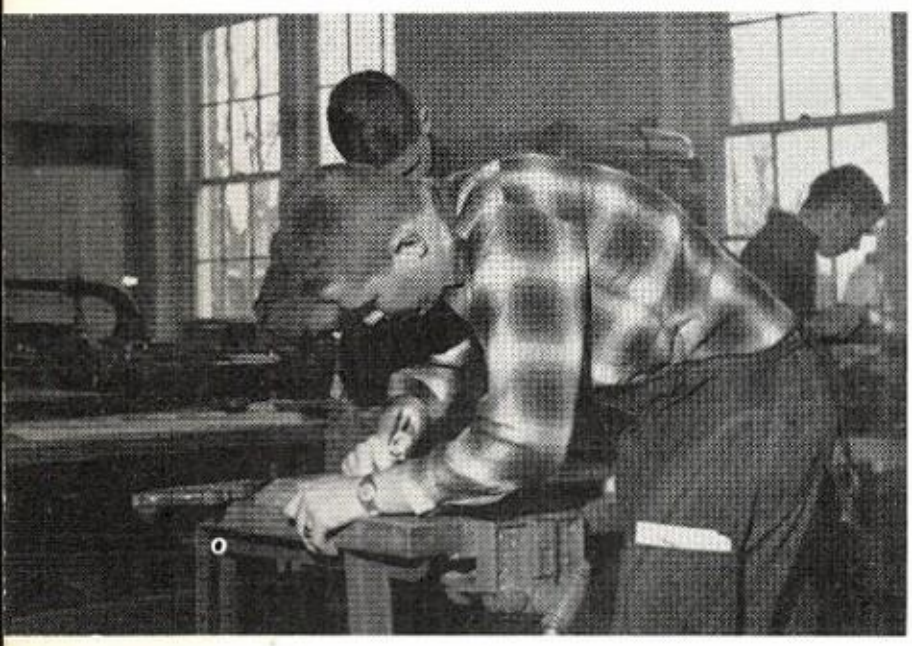

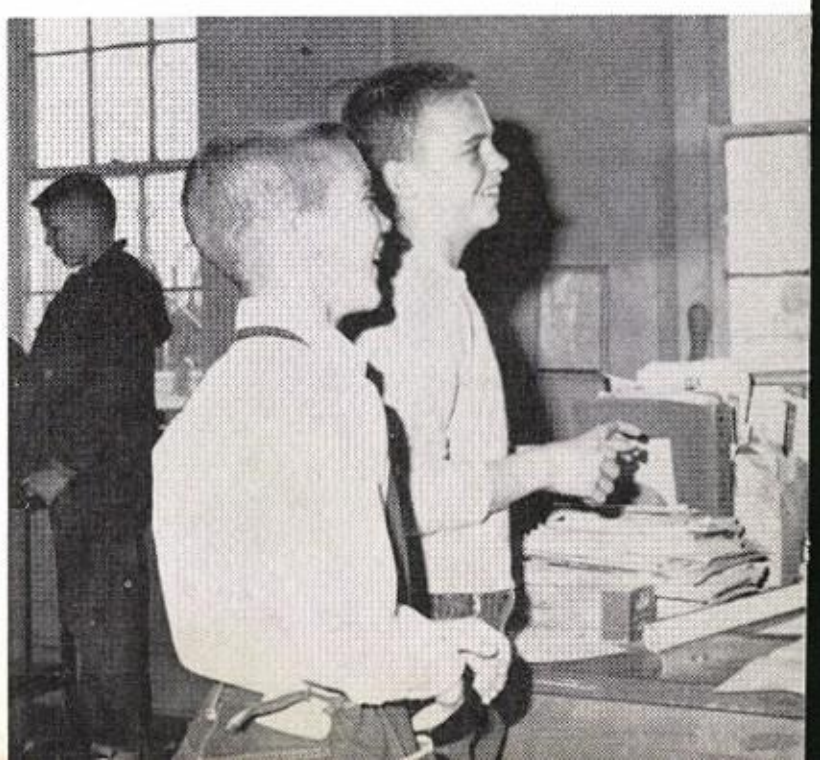

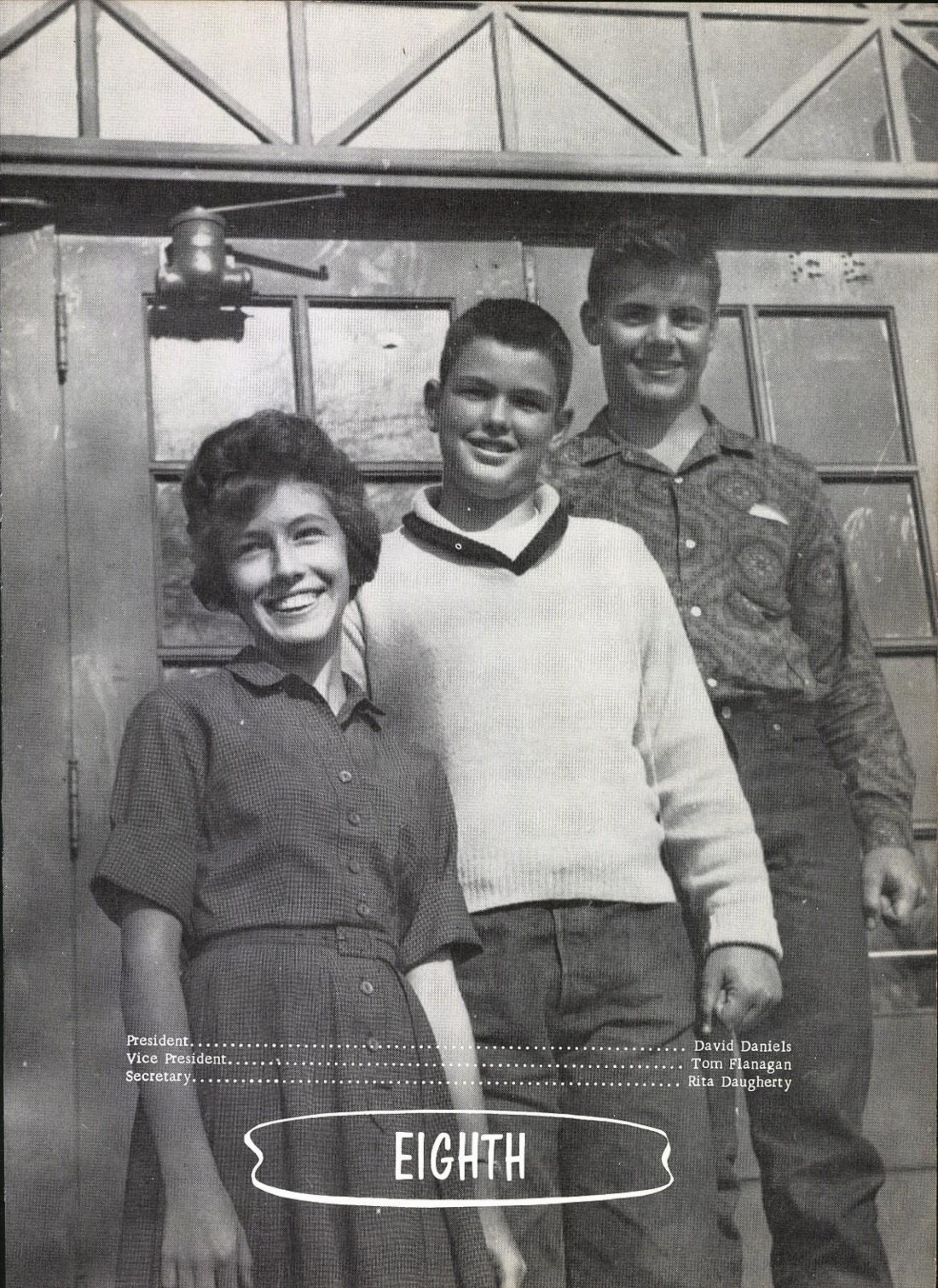

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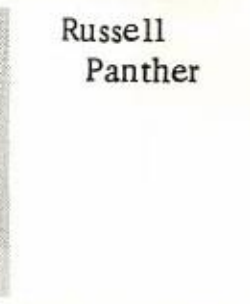

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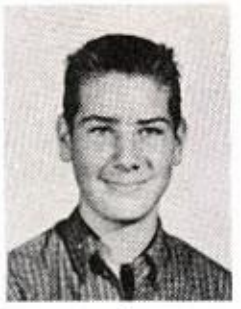

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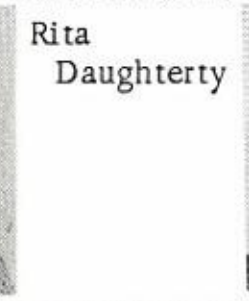

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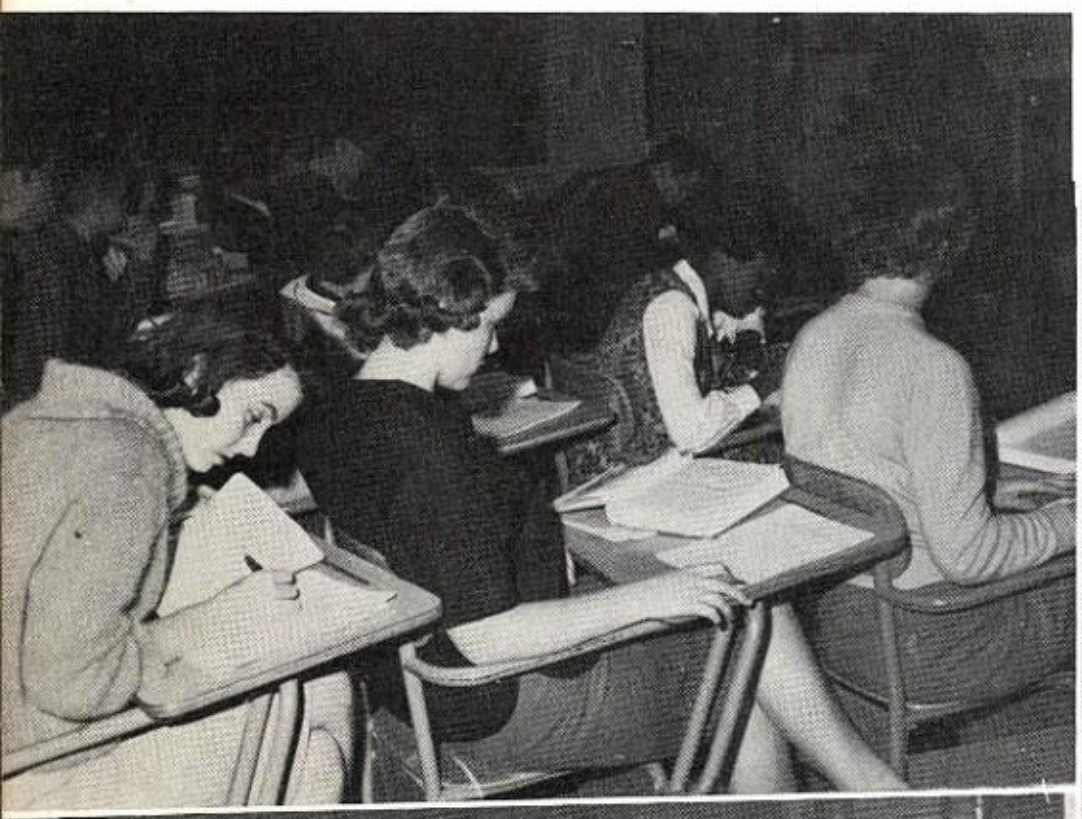

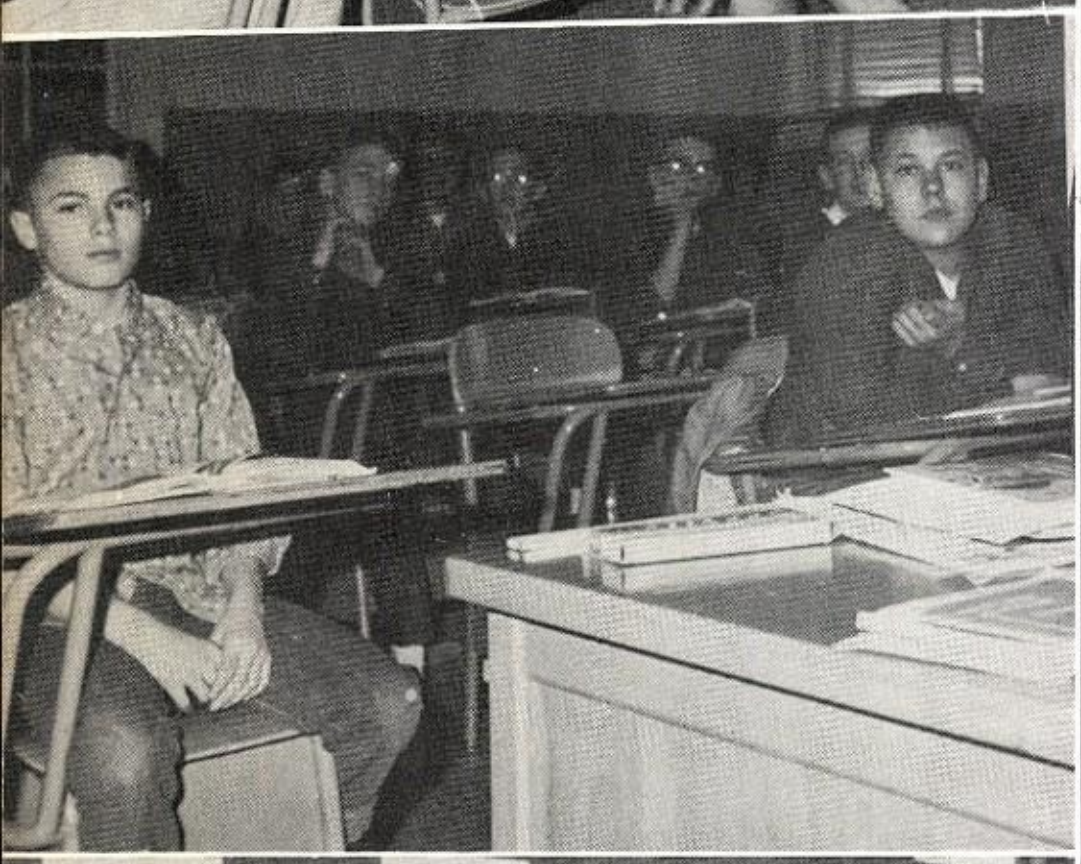

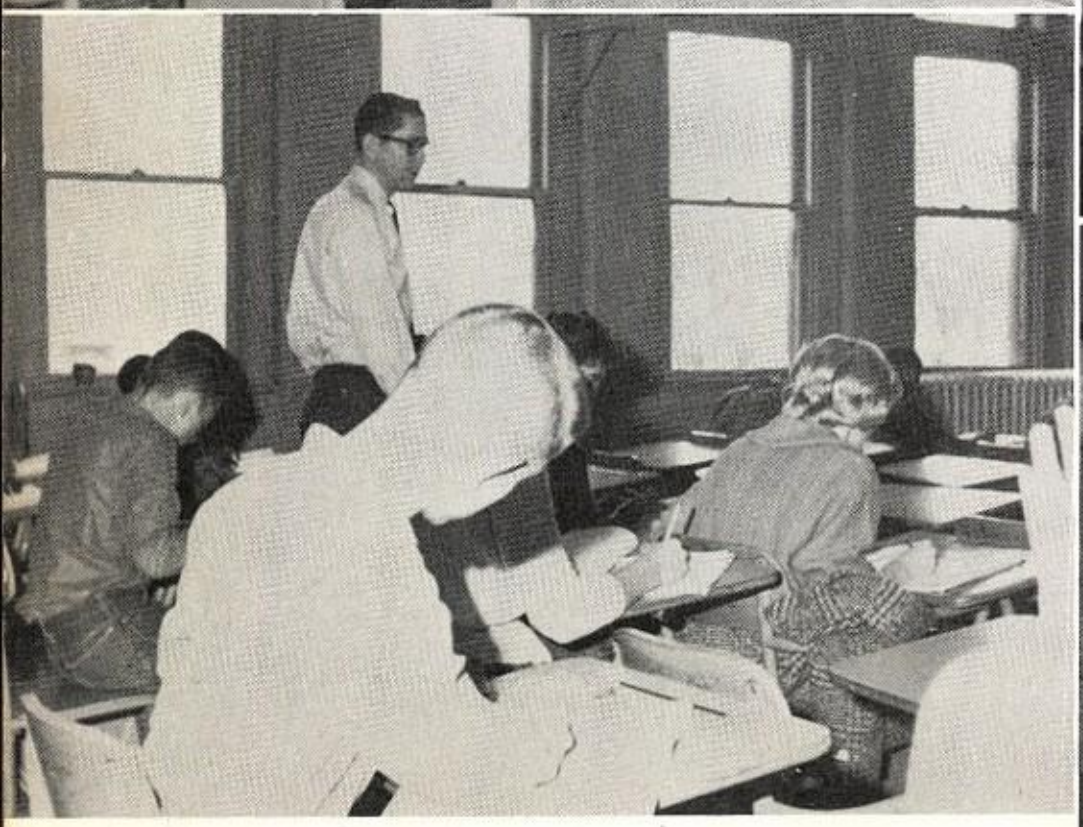

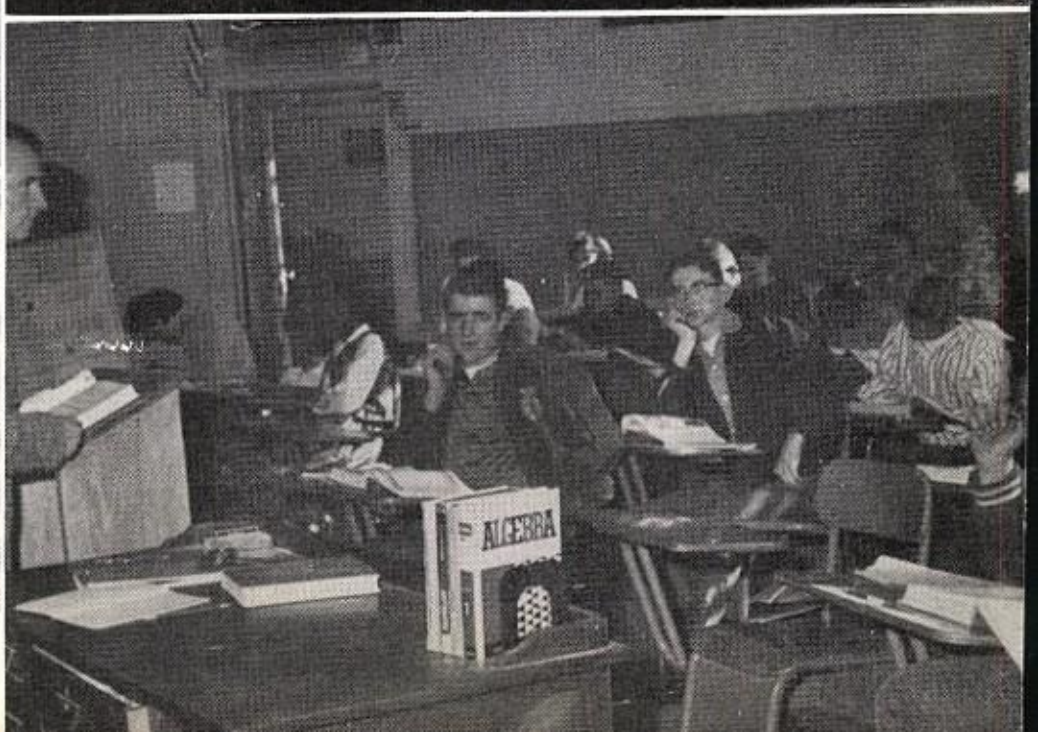

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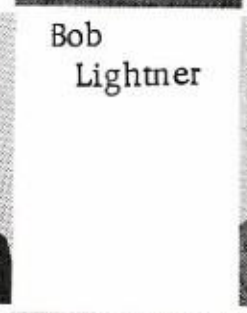

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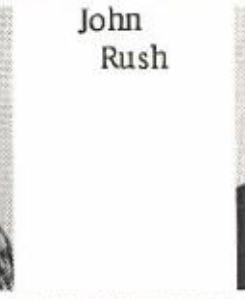

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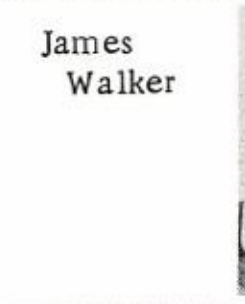

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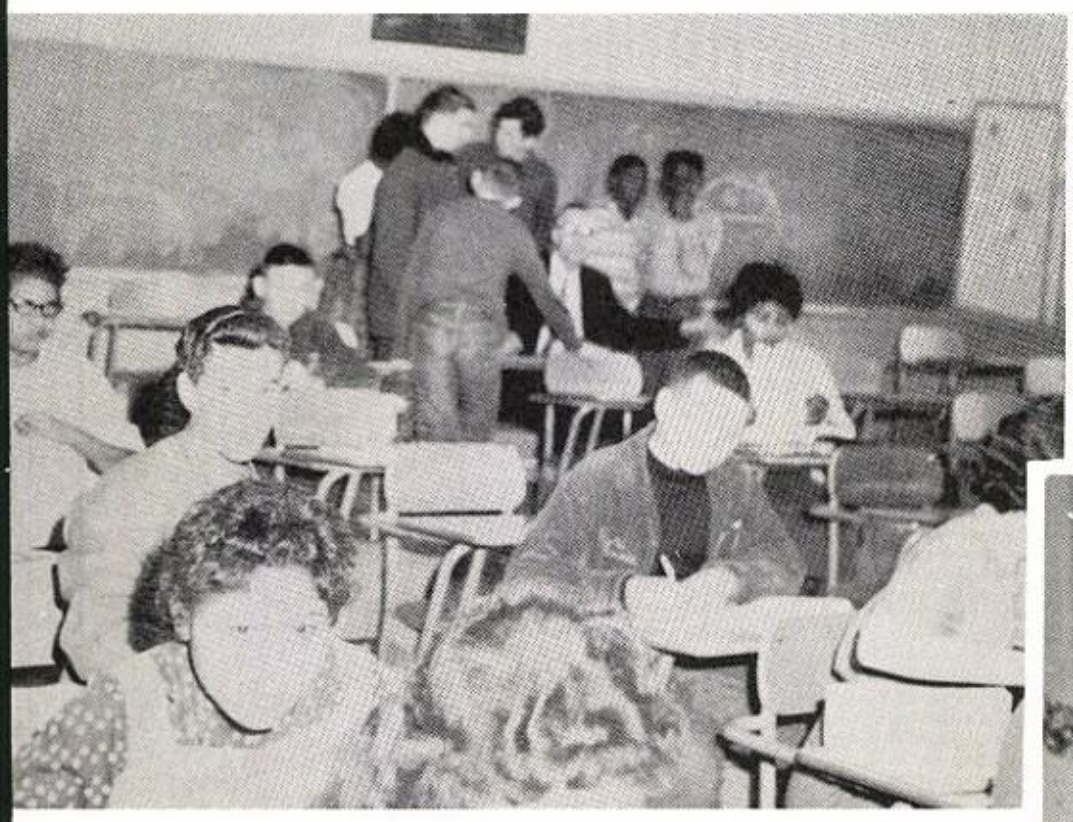

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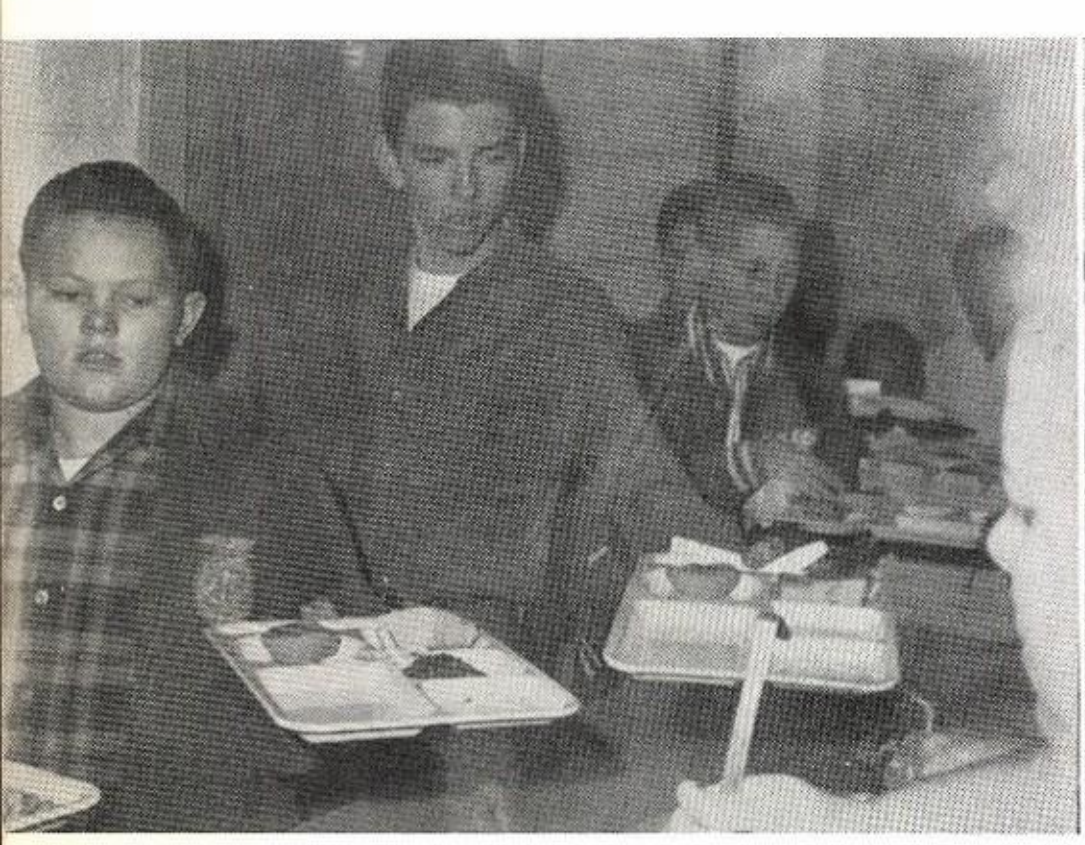

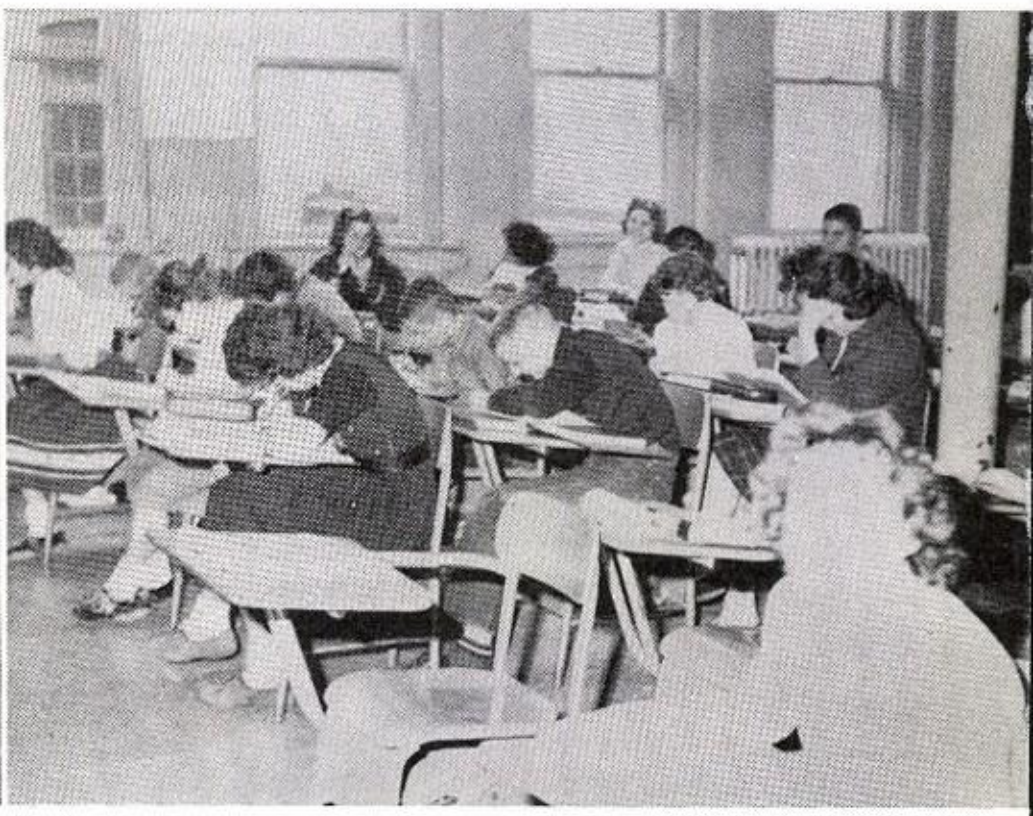

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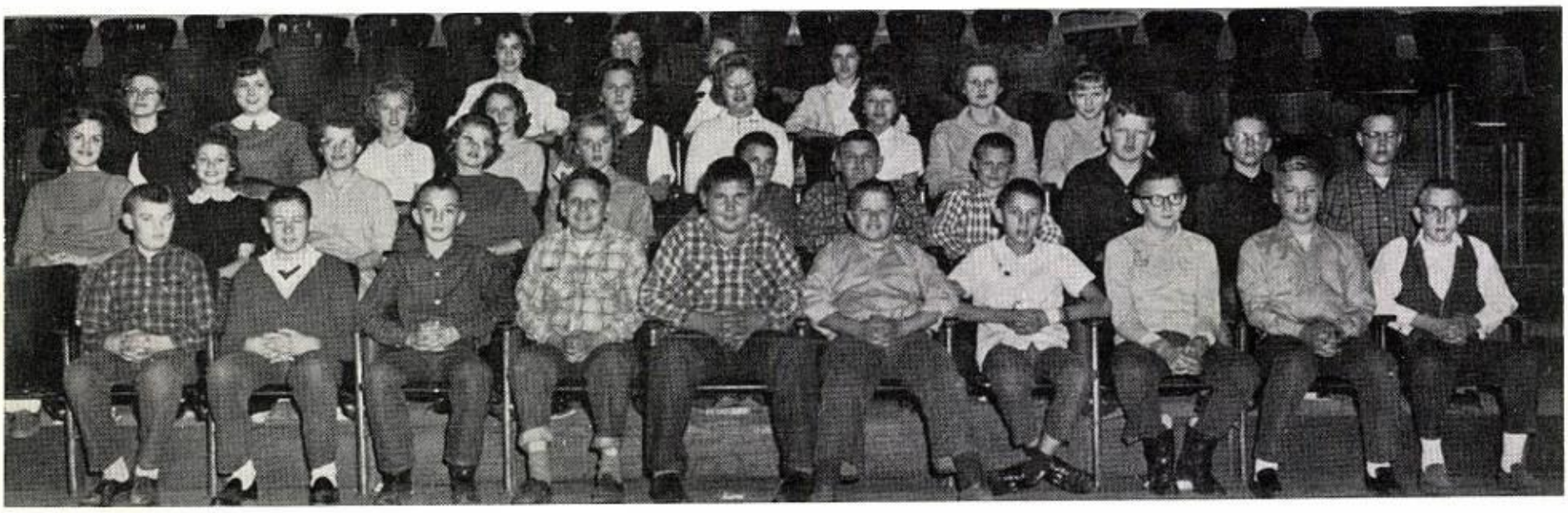

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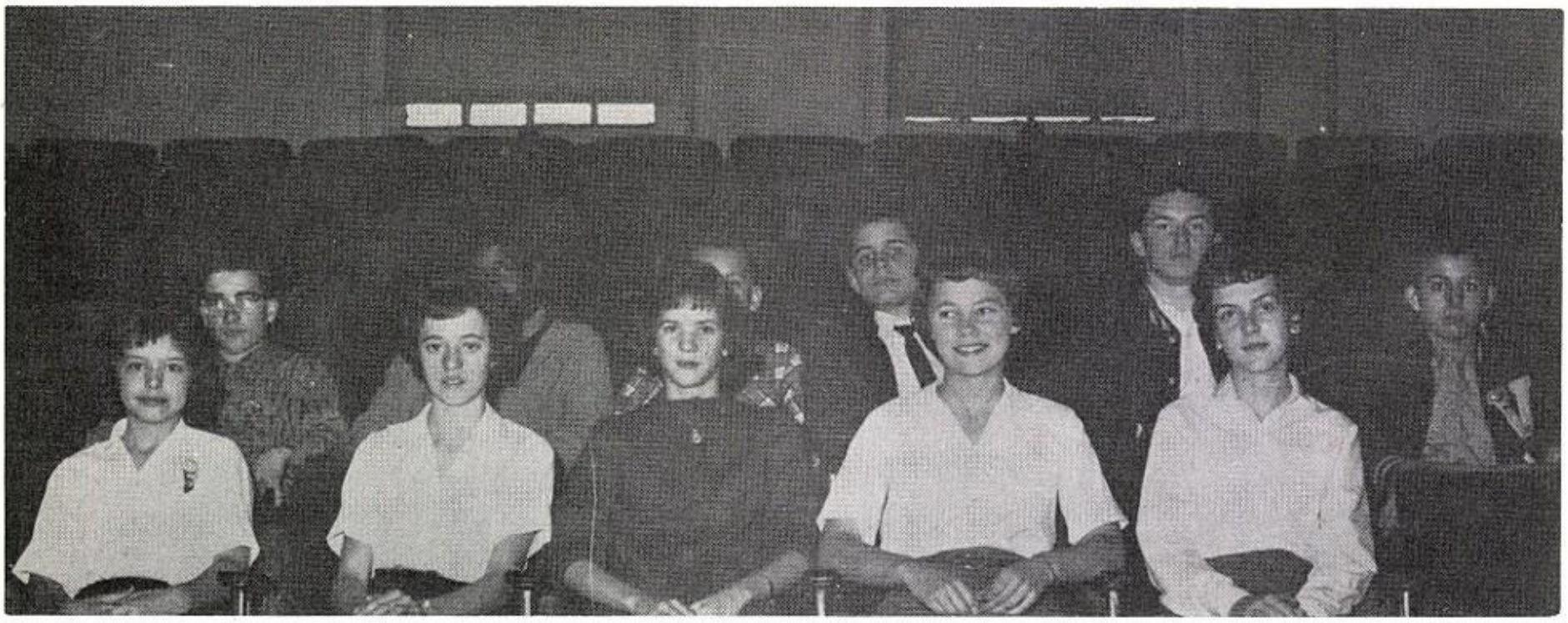

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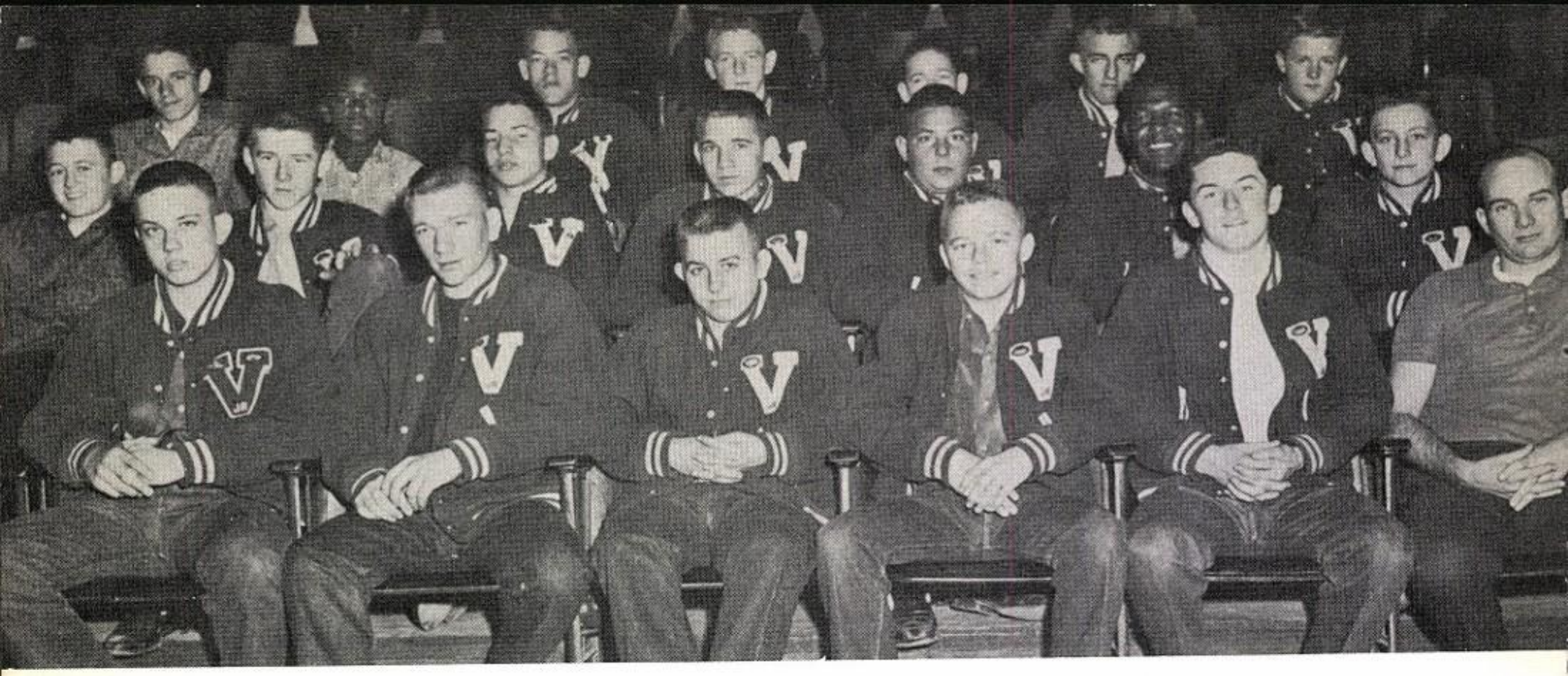

NINTH GRADE FOOTBALL

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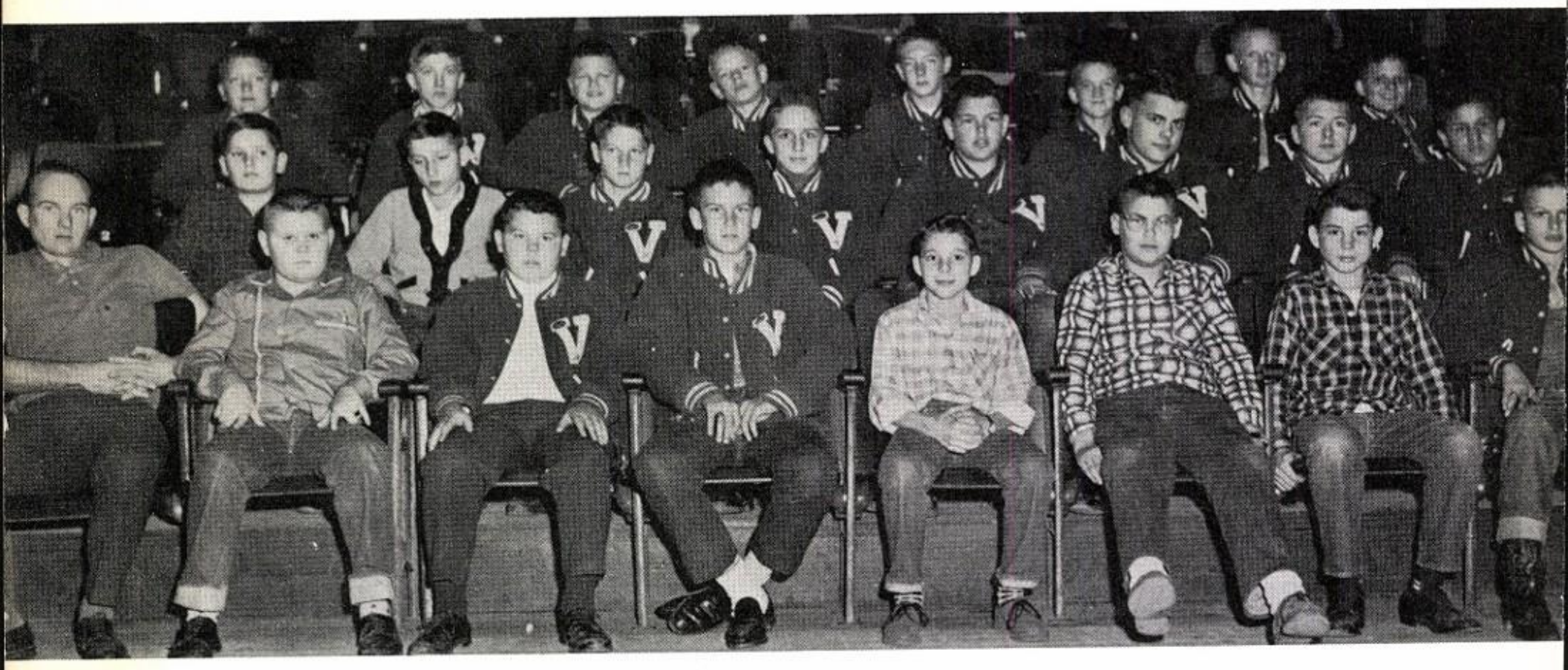

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Coach Kinder, Best, Sooter, Green, Clouse, McClure, Deacon, Cogle, Picher, Freeman, Goins, Barnes, Flanagan, Daniels, Craig, Leaf, Edwards, Boyd, Pippin, Cheek, Gullett, West, Williams, Remund.

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First Row: Mr. Kinder, Nail, Freeman, Owen, Owens, Roberts, Page, Tyler, Harlan, Sumner, Brown, Barnett, West, Lee, Pennington, Luginbuel.

EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL

First Row: Mr. Kinder, Freeman, Goins, Cheek, Gullet, Craig, Leaf, Cogle, Ballard, Deitrick, Boyd, West, Daniels, Remund, Williams.

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SEVENTH GRADE BASKETBALL

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